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THE Peach

WALL STREET CLOSE

THE WEATHER

Fair and not so cold tonight; lowest temperature tonight about 35 degrees. Wednesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain; rising temperature.

AIRSHIP, DESTROYERS FAIL TO FIND "DAWN"

Today

Take Care of Lindbergh.
A Brain Pantheon.
Cosima's Brown Hair.
Mind, Matter, Glassy Eyes.

By ARTHUR G. BRISBANE

(Copyright, 1927.)

COL. LINDBERGH will soon fly over mountain peaks in Guatemala, starting long flights in his one-engine plane, over tropical regions in Central America. In spite of his great skill and courage he RUNS GREAT RISK.

Lindbergh's life is too valuable to be staked repeatedly on what, at best, is dangerous flying.

It was unnecessary to risk a non-stop flight from Washington, D. C., to Mexico City. A flight with rest and refueling would have answered the purpose.

EVERYBODY knows what Lindbergh can do. It is not necessary for him to incur repeatedly risks as great as when he flew the Atlantic.

And Lindbergh should fly a machine with three motors instead of one. His personal safety is more important than promoting any particular engine or the financial interests of any group.

There should be some way of emphasizing that.

THE old-fashioned "Pantheon," meaning "all the gods," contained mouldering bones of great men with their clothes on.

Russia's new "Pantheon of Intelligence" will contain only the brains of eminent men, kept in glass bowls for study, with gold plates telling who owned the brains, what it did.

PROF. BAKHTEREV, Russian psychologist, now dead, established the pantheon and left his brain to it. Chaliapin, Russian singer, has willed his brain to the institution.

Future ages will study today's primitive brains with interest, and perhaps read the meaning of their convolutions. Our best microscopes cannot tell us why Bakhterev's brain studied psychology, why Chaliapin sings, Lindbergh flies and Coolidge "doesn't choose."

FRAU COSIMA WAGNER, widow of the great musician, daughter of Liszt, celebrates her ninetieth birthday with friends and memories. When Richard Wagner died Frau Cosima cut off her beautiful brown hair, falling below her waist, and put it under the pillow in her husband's coffin. Before "the bob," that meant sacrifice.

Later were published letters of the temperamental Richard written to other ladies.

For a while, perhaps, Frau Cosima regretted the long brown hair. But that is long forgotten. At 90, as Luigi Cornaro said, you know that the world is beautiful, and little things make little difference.

THE human mind, strange machine, cannot control itself.

Hickman, the vile young criminal, who kidnaped and murdered a poor child, seeking sympathy by pretending hysteria, sat in his cell "with glassy eyes seeing nothing." An experienced sheriff said: "I'll find out about that hysteria."

He put two drunken Indians in the cell next to Hickman and the Indians began fighting savagely. Hickman immediately came out of his hysteria, his eyes, no longer glassy, followed the fighting Indians with interest and fear.

Control of mind over matter is well established, but mind itself has little control over itself.

NOT quite five days left of 1927. Make your New Year resolutions early, start them today. Those that know what they should do and don't begin NOW will not begin seriously five days hence.

In a long jump or race, a running start is a great advantage. Young gentlemen with only five days in which to get started for 1928 would do well to start NOW.

CHARLES W. GRAY, well-known citizen of Chicago, who worked his way to success and prosperity, encouraged by John Hertz, is killed by a fall from his horse at 52. He wore a soft cap, or hat, presumably. Had he worn a hat of heavy felt, providing an air cushion between the skull and the ground, he would probably be alive.

No man is safe from a fall when riding, especially after middle age. And all should wear "hard" riding hats, women included.

YOU are told that democracy is losing ground in Europe. Great nations, soon to be followed by smaller ones, Rumania and others, call on a dictator to handle problems brought by war.

WAR is like a drunken debauch, in which a man rolls in the gutter, fights, disgraces himself. After such a debauch the individual signs the pledge, realizes that he cannot trust himself.

And nations submit to dictators, knowing they can't govern themselves.

SEARCH SEA IN VAIN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—The dirigible Los Angeles informed the Navy Department that at 10 a. m., today, she had reached Emerald Bank, midway between Cape Sable and Sable Island, and had changed her course for Cape Cod in search of the Dawn. She reported visibility excellent and the sea smooth.

The Bureau of Aeronautics said that the Los Angeles probably was sailing in a wide circle looking for the Grayson plane. The destroyers Mahan and Sturtevant were 29 miles north of Sable Point at 8:25 this morning.

TRIPLE SEARCH

By International News Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Search was pushed on land and sea and in the air today for the missing amphibian plane Dawn.

Facing weather none too promising, the dirigible Los Angeles this morning was between Cape Cod and Nova Scotia, flying northward in the hope that in some hidden inlet or on some stretch of water not quickly reached by ships here officers and men might sight the plane.

Since taking off from Roosevelt Field, Long Island, at 5 p. m. last Friday, the Dawn, carrying Mrs. Frances Grayson and three men, has not definitely been heard from. Their objective was Harbor Grace, Newfoundland.

The Los Angeles will search the waters about Sable Island, off the Coast of Nova Scotia, through the day and return to Lakehurst, N. J., tonight. Below the giant ship as she coursed her way were the destroyers Mahan and Sturtevant, also dispatched to search for the missing plane. Searching parties on shore followed the coast line.

Chances that the plane with its daring occupants would be found were regarded as slim by experienced flyers, who pointed out that bad weather has prevailed since the plane's departure, and unless the ship was in some sheltered cove the high seas would swamp it.

Many were skeptical of the radio

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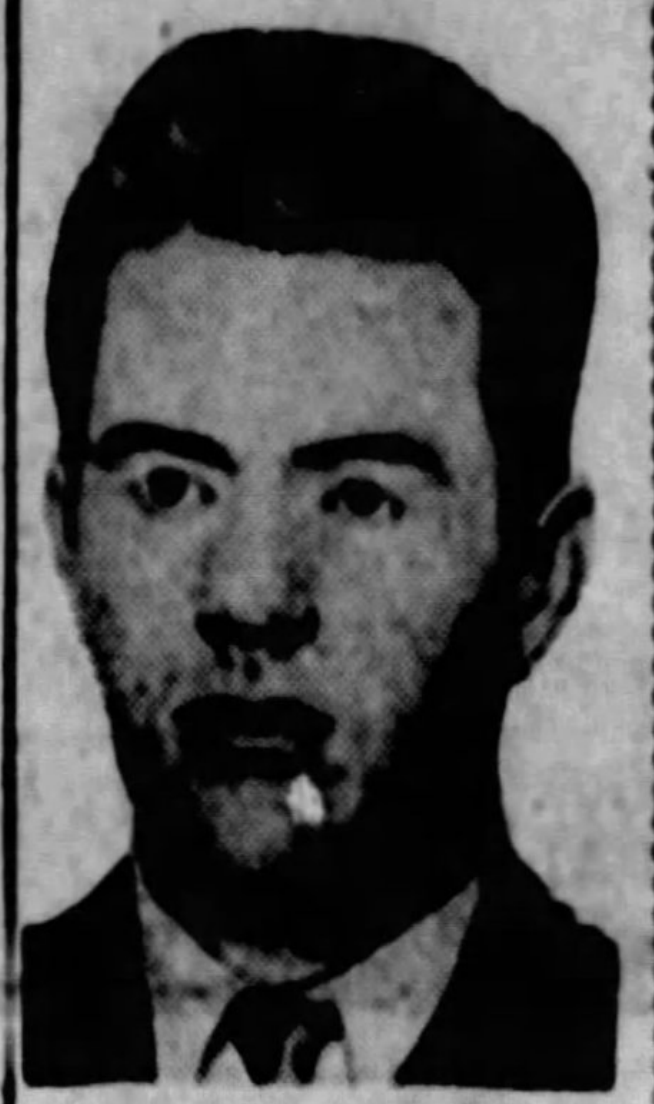
Christmas Liquor Kills Four

"Fox" in New Confession Admits He Killed Girl



WILLIAM E. HICKMAN, The Slayer

Principal Features in the New Confession of William Edward Hickman Are:

KIDNAPED and murdered Marian Parker without aid of any sort.

First thought of kidnaping a child six months ago to get money to take a course in college. Rented an apartment for purpose November 23.

Lured Marian into stolen auto and headed for Glendale. Stopped at side street and told her she was being kidnaped.

WROTE ransom letter to Perry M. Parker, enclosing note from girl.

Promised her that if her father did not pay the money he would let her go home. Bound and blindfolded girl. She told him to hurry back.

Gripped by "uncontrollable desire" to murder, then returned to apartments.

Knotted towel about Marian's throat and pulled tightly for two minutes before she became unconscious.

DISMEMBERED body because of "life-long desire to cut up someone."

Combed dead girl's hair, powdered face to make her look life-like in order to collect ransom money.

Wrote "last chance" note to Parker and went to theater.

Delivered torso to father and collected $1,500.

MARIAN PARKER, The Victim

BARE DEALS IN MEXICAN DOCUMENTS

By International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Senate's investigation into the authenticity of the Mexican documents published in the Hearst newspapers was resumed here today with Frank Y. McLaughlin, an American oil man, who has spent most of the last seven years in Mexico City, as the first witness.

McLaughlin identified himself as a structural engineer who went to Mexico in 1920, later becoming identified with the El Sol Petroleum Company as director and vice president. He said he had many "personal relations" with Mexican officials.

The witness created a mild sensation in the committee room when he testified that Miguel Avila, the American-born Mexican who sold the docu-

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Christmas Rum Kills Four

Six deaths, 12 holdups and nine robberies were entered into police records today as the holiday toll of crime and moonshine. Four deaths were laid to poison liquor.

Joseph Frisco, 32, Jacks Run road, was slain in a revolver duel at the Saliantro home, 35 Jade street, police reported John Saliantro, named as the slayer, disappeared.

Frank Redshaw was shot dead on the roof of his home at 3425 Butler street by police after he had fired three shots into his wife's body. The wife, Augusta Redshaw, is expected to recover.

The four booze victims were reported as Dan Brown, 50, of 2118 Charles street; Walter Rucker, 38, of Spring way; Glenn Johnson, 20, East McKeesport, and an unidentified Negro woman at 1496 Webster avenue.

The robbery loot was estimated at a maximum of $4,000.

Hurt in Auto Crash

MISS MARGARET GEVATSKY

Miss Margaret Gevatsky, 17, 2458 California avenue, North Side, suffered cuts on hands and arms and body bruises when an automobile in which she and four friends were riding collided with a truck at East Ohio and Sandusky streets early today. She was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital.

WIFE FORGIVES VOGEL; HE'S KEPT IN BED

By ALMA SIOUX SCARBERRY.

Once in a while we hear of a wife like Mrs. George Vogel. But in the movies of a story book. Seldon in real life.

There is nothing but forgiveness in her heart for the husband who disappeared six weeks ago and returned Christmas unkempt and penitent. She put him to bed and is nursing him like she would one of her little children. Believing that he is mentally ill, an alienist will examine him, according to the family physician, Dr. G. F. Berg.

This morning she sat in her home where every effort had been made to make Christmas merry for her little ones, and defended him with every word. There was a Christmas tree on a table piled high with packages and little stockings still hung by the fireside.

It is a home of rejoicing and a home of sorrow. The husband and father was returned to them, but Robert, the 17-year-old son, was taken away. His father did not know that he had died and sent him a Christmas card. Mrs. Vogel came downstairs to meet me looking much better than she did two weeks ago. The color is back in her face and

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"FOX" JAILED; GUARDS REPEL MOB ATTACK

Confession He Killed Marian Parker Unaided Inflames California Populace.

By WALTER NAUGHTON,
International News Service Special Correspondent.

SAN JOSE, Cal., (Aboard the Padre, Los Angeles Bound) Dec. 27.—William Edward Hickman murdered Marian Parker a week ago last Saturday morning, then cut up her body in the bathroom of his apartment at the Bellevue apartments, and prepared it for delivery that night to her father.

He was absolutely alone in his fiendish crime. He has made a complete step-by-step confession damning himself as the worst criminal in modern history.

And he has told District Attorney Asa Keyes that he is ready to plead guilty to murder in the first degree, accept the death penalty, and go to his death on the gallows at San Quentin Penitentiary in as little time as it requires for him to be sentenced in court and taken to the state prison.

Several attempts have been made, as the train stopped at various stations along the route to storm the prison car. The situation became acute as the car was switched at Oakland. Hundreds of angry, cursing men crowded around and tried to board the train. They were beaten off by guards.

At Benicia as the train rolled to a halt to board the railroad ferry, the first large hostile gathering rushed the car.

At that particular moment, Hickman was in an accompanying "dead" baggage car where squads of officers stood guard day and night since the prisoner was started southward from Pendleton on Christmas Day.

Hickman had been taken to the baggage car to pose for photographs

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Young Lawyer, 25, To Lead Defense For Hickman

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—(INS.)—Jerome Walsh, Kansas City attorney, left here today for Los Angeles to defend William Edward Hickman.

Walsh was selected at a family conference yesterday following news from the Pacific coast that Young Hickman had 'told all' in the murder of Marian Parker, 12-year-old schoolgirl.

"I do not believe," said Mrs. Eva M. Hickman today, "that my son committed this murder unaided. I believe he was forced into making the confession from fear of violence and he will repudiate it when he is safe. I can read between the lines that he has been handled in such a manner as to make him say things he really doesn't mean."

Walsh bears a letter from the 55-year-old mother to her son. Mrs. Hickman also sent Asa W. Keyes, Los Angeles prosecutor, a telegram asking the district attorney to "see that all my son's legal rights are preserved."

Long Fight Of Girl Fails

OCONTO, Neb., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—The stubborn fight to save the life of Alma Overgard, the 16-year-old high school girl who has lived for 36 days through the aid of artificial respiration, ended today. The girl died this morning, remaining unconscious to the end.

Hickman Rushed From Train to County Jail as Crowd Yells for Lynching.

By ARTHUR L. MAREK,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 27.—Bringing William Edward Hickman back to the city where he kidnaped and murdered little Marian Parker, according to his confession, a Southern Pacific train reached Los Angeles at 10:10 a. m. today.

Hickman was taken off the train at Jackson and Alameda streets under heavy police guard and placed in an automobile and rushed toward the county jail.

UNDER HEAVY GUARD

Four police cars laden with visibly armed detectives formed Hickman's escort.

Hickman was taken off the train manacled by both wrists to Detectives Harry Raymond and Dick Lucas.

When the long train came to a grinding stop unexpectedly, a group of men who had been standing idly and pointing out the car in which Hickman was supposed to be confined, surged forward.

The maneuver of taking the prisoner off almost in the heart of the city and within a few blocks of the county jail caught Los Angeles citizens napping.

The automobile bearing Hickman swung through a line of milling people up to the east entrance of the hall of justice.

"STRING HIM UP!"

As the crowd surged about the police car, shouts of "Lynch him. String him up. Give him to us" filled the air.

Fists were shaken menancingly in the direction of the pale-faced prisoner. As officers formed a lane, the double doors were opened quickly and an instant later Hickman was jerked bodily into the corridor of the building.

Onlookers expressed the opinion

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PICK MORGAN AS NEW U. S. STEEL HEAD

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The New York American today carries the following copyright story:

The Morning American is privileged to state today that the lineup of officers of the United States Steel Corporation has been definitely decided upon. The new officers will be:

Chairman of the board—J. Pierpont Morgan.

Chief executive officer—James A. Farrell.

Chairman of the finance committee—Myron C. Taylor.

The positions of Messrs. Farrell and Taylor were forecast exclusively in this newspaper some weeks ago, when it was also stated that Morgan would possibly head the board of directors. This possibility has now become a certainty, the New York American learns.

Morgan's duties, however, will be largely nominal. He will act largely, it is believed, as a sort of arbiter on important problems and on this condition only, it is understood, agreed to accept the post.

It is expected that announcement of these positions will be made after Tuesday's meeting of the board, but the matter may possibly be deferred.

CONTINUE EFFORTS TO RAISE SUBMARINE TOMB OF FORTY

ICY WATER IMPEDES WORK

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Divers working on the submarine S-4 are to be aided in keeping their directions clear hereafter by large white signboards reading "This way forward" and "This way aft."

The signs, the idea of Lieut. Com. Edward Ellsberg, will be placed on the sunken craft's deck. Heretofore the men have of necessity been handicapped as they sought their way to various position on the hull of the submarine, the grave of 40 officers and men who went down with it a week ago last Saturday.

WORK ON SECOND TUNNEL

With permanent mooring fixed for the mine sweeper Falcon, from which the diving operations are conducted, and with one tunnel already completed under the hull of the S-4, attention was concentrated today on the second tunnel, through which cables are to be passed for attachment to raising pontoons.

Another activity to engage divers was the cutting away of the tangled mass of wreckage forward of the conning tower, where the ramming destroyer Paulding inflicited its heaviest damage.

Aft of the conning tower, radio wires presented considerable difficulty, and a 35-pound hooking knife attached to the end of a cable leading from a winch aboard the Falcon was pressed into service.

Divers were so affected by the cold yesterday that they were allowed to remain on the floor of the ocean only 45 minutes at a time.

BABY FALLS INTO TUB OF BOILING WATER; DIES

A 2 months' old child, Minnie Arcuri, was burned to death in her home, 1216 Porterfield street, today, when she fell into a tub of hot water.

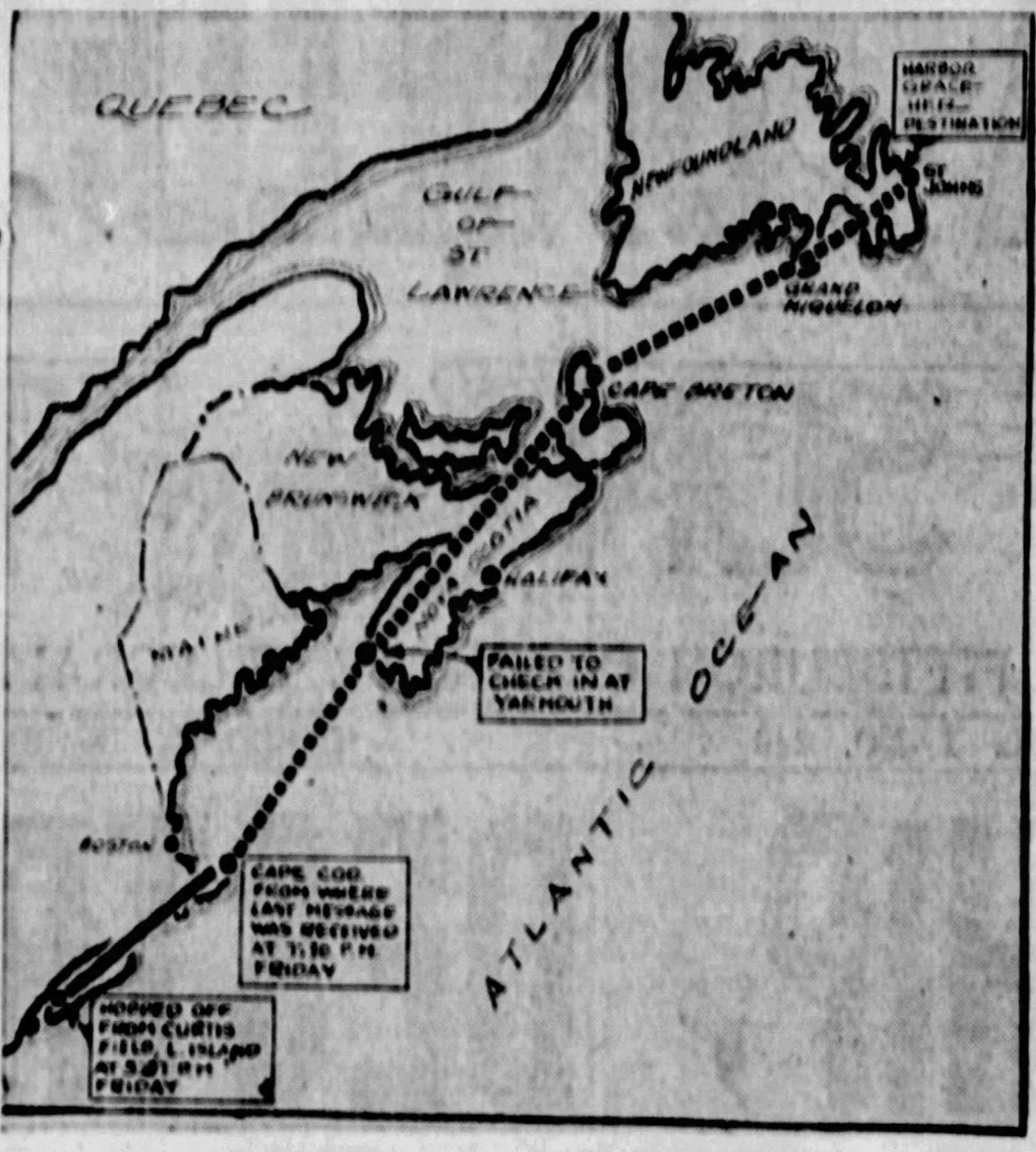
Dies

MRS. ANNA N. HARRIS

Mrs. Harris, 31, died Monday at her home, 5817 Kentucky avenue. She was a member of St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church. Besides her husband, Nicholas G. Harris, she leaves two sons, George and Christ, and a brother, Peter Psichos. Interment will be made tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock in Homewood Cemetery.

HOPE FADES FOR FOUR ON GRAYSON'S "DAWN"

Her huge monoplane disappeared from Curtiss Field, Long Island, headed north for Harbor Grace, N. F., the first stop in her proposed itinerary.



QUEBEC
GULF OF ST LAWRENCE
NEWFOUNDLAND
HARBOR GRACE HER DESTINATION
ST JOHNS
GRAND MIQUELON
CAPE BRETON
NEW BRUNSWICK
NOVA SCOTIA
HALIFAX
MAINE
FAILED TO CHECK IN AT YARMOUTH
BOSTON
CAPE COD FROM WHERE LAST MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED AT 7:10 P.M. FRIDAY
HOPPED OFF FROM CURTIS FIELD, L. ISLAND AT 5:07 P.M. FRIDAY
ATLANTIC OCEAN

ROUTE LARGELY OVER WATER

The most direct route to Harbor Grace, lying near St. Johns, leads across long stretches of ocean. The solid black line shows how far her flight is known to have been successful. The dotted line shows the course she would have followed if the plane had "carried on" successfully. It is along this line that another mystery of the ocean and air may be written.

MRS. FRANCES GRAYSON

Mrs. Frances Grayson, undaunted by her previous failures, took off Friday at 5:07 p. m. on another attempt to span the Atlantic ocean in her amphibian plane, "The Dawn."

BRUCE GOLDSBOROUGH, MRS. GRAYSON, OSKAR OMDAL

Low temperatures and strong winds may have handicapped the fliers, aviation experts believe, and sent "The Dawn" far out to sea. With Mrs. Grayson are Oskar Omdal, her pilot, Bruce Goldsborough, navigator, and Fred Koehler, motor expert. Koehler was to have left the plane at St. Johns, prior to the Atlantic hop.

HICKMAN CONFESSION INFLAMES POPULACE

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with the officials to whom he confessed. There was an explosion of flashlights. Hickman smiled . . . a smile of an eased mind, it seemed.

MOB DEMANDS PRISONER

At once from without came the rising murmur of many voices . . . the warning of an infuriated mob.

"He's in there—make them bring him out . . . smash down the doors . . ."

Hickman jerked at his chains in terror. The officers to whom he was manacled, rushed for the security of the prison car and railroad officers surged against the attacked doors with husky shoulders. There were blows and curses. The train moved slowly on . . . still the crowd hammered at the doors . . . the train picked up speed . . . the police on the train swung their fists and several men who hung to the door steps went down in the track cinders.

At Sixteenth street, Oakland, another scene of mad confusion swept the station as the prison train stopped for a few moments. But the police soon had the situation well in hand and prevented further disorder.

"UNCONTROLLABLE DESIRE"

Hickman says that he had two motives for his crime. The first was that he wanted the $1,500 from Parker. The second was that he was seized with an uncontrollable desire to murder and that since he was a child, he has had the desire to cut up a human body.

The gruesome confession was wrung from Hickman after incessant grilling on the way down the coast from Pendleton, Ore., near where he was captured four days ago. The story was so revolting that even his listeners, long experienced in crime, were made sick at the harrowing details.

Hickman killed Marian Parker by strangling her to death in his Bellevue apartment. She made no outcry and passed into unconsciousness within two minutes.

When she had ceased to struggle, and life was gone from her little body he placed her in the bathtub.

A big, sharp pocket knife was the instrument with which he dismembered her. Keyes has the knife which Hickman bought on Main street.

First he cut off her arms, drained them in the bathtub, and, then wrapped them and put them in the kitchen cabinet. Then he cut off the legs and did the same thing.

He cut the body in half above the waist line and drained the stomach into the bathtub. Then he stuffed the torso with towels, rags and prepared it for delivery to her father.

He powdered her face, combed her hair and placed the torso in a suitcase. Before this, he sewed her eyelids back so that she had the appearance of her eyes being open.

He put the torso back in the suitcase and then he went to a Los Angeles theater, but he could not enjoy the show and then returned to the apartment and took every part of the body except the torso, which he left in the suitcase. He took the other members, wrapped, to the automobile he had stolen in Kansas City.

No one saw him leave, and he put the wrapped parts into the car, drove out Sunset road to Elysia Park, and threw the parts of the body out of his car there.

READY TO KILL PARKER

Then he returned to the apartment and later called Parker and made arrangements to meet him. Parker came alone. Hickman had a sawed-off shotgun ready to kill Parker if the latter had officers with him. Hickman took the $1,500 from Parker, drove on 50 yards, deposited the torso and went back to his apartment, the death apartment, and slept soundly.

Before returning to the apartment he left the stolen Chrysler in the auto park at Ninth and Grand.

Hickman says he was in the apartment when officers searched it for towels next morning. He went to another show that afternoon and spent the first of the marked $20 bills in a cafeteria in the Arcade Building on Broadway. That night he took the street car to Hollywood and Western and soon after held up J. Beck, took $15 and made Beck give over his car.

Hickman drove over Ventura boulevard and the coast road to San Francisco, stayed there one night at Herald Hotel and then continued his wild flight north to Pendleton.

HICKMAN IN JAIL

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that Hickman's arms may have been dislocated.

Hickman was led to an elevator and shot upward eight floors to the jail.

A crowd of 500 persons had gathered at the Southern Pacific station at Glendale, eight miles north of here, when it was reported Hickman would be taken off the train there and rushed into Los Angeles by automobile.

SCARED BY MOB

Sight of the milling crowd caused District Attorney Asa Keyes to abandon this plan and he gave orders for the train to proceed to Los Angeles.

The Southern Pacific right of way passes within a few blocks of the Lincoln Heights jail at a point between Glendale and the Arcade station in downtown Los Angeles.

This fact gave rise to reports that Hickman would be removed to the Lincoln Heights city stockade.

Once inside the county jail Hickman was assigned to cell number 10-B-2 by Chief Jailer Frank Dewar. Hickman was searched and given a prisoner's number, 88782.

He gave his age as 19 years and his weight as 140 pounds.

Hickman was booked on charges of kidnaping and murder. He was locked in a solitary steel cell.

Fumes Kill Three

Carbon monoxide fumes today stood guilty of causing three more deaths.

Mike Susnyar, 49, was found dead this morning at 290 State street, Clairton. Windows were closed and a gas stove burning.

Frederick Mason and his wife, Margaret Mason, Negroes, were found dead in their home, Monview avenue, North Side, yesterday, victims of carbon monoxide poisoning.

The couple were found by police, who forced the front door of the house after they had been summoned by neighbors. Their 9-year-old daughter met death in the same manner a week ago.

Five Die in Ohio Fire

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—A mother, her three children and their uncle were fatally burned in their home here last night when a kerosene stove exploded and trapped the victims in a hallway.

Firemen found the bodies of Mrs. Letty Duffy, 26, and her three children, William, 6; Harmon, 4, and John, Jr., 4 months, in the ruins of the house. William Duffy, 20, uncle of the children, died this morning at a hospital. The father, John Duffy, Sr., had gone to a store to get ice cream for a holiday supper.

LOS ANGELES SCANS SEA

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message picked up Sunday and purporting to be relaying a distress signal from the plane.

The Canadian government wireless station at Sable Island announced it had been in communication with the radio operator of the Dawn for a few minutes on Sunday evening. It was believed that the Dawn operator was sending on his emergency set from a point within 80 miles of the island, but an exhaustive search in the vicinity of the island failed to reveal a trace of the fliers.

32-MILE WIDE SEARCH

ABOARD U. S. DESTROYER STURTEVANT, IN NORTH ATLANTIC, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Search for the Dawn, missing plane of Mrs. Francis Wilson Grayson, was carried on today by the destroyers Sturtevant and Mahan on a line from Cape Cod to Sable Island, off the eastern coast of Nova Scotia. The vessels covered a lane 32 miles wide.

The Sturtevant steamed through the night at a speed of 20 knots and at 5 o'clock this morning joined the Mahan, which had preceded her. The Sturtevant left the Boston navy yard late yesterday afternoon. The Mahan had started two hours earlier from Provincetown, where the destroyer had been on duty with the S-4 salvage fleet.

The visibility on each side of the two ships today was eight miles. They were steaming on parallel courses 16 miles apart.

The position of the Sturtevant at 6 o'clock this morning was longitude 66 West, latitude 42.56 North, or approximately 230 miles from Sable Island. Proceeding at a 20-knot speed the vessels should reach Sable Island by nightfall.

The sea was very calm today.

WIFE FORGIVES VOGEL

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her eyes are brighter. She began with a half smile:

"Daddy is up stairs in bed, very sick. He says he can't talk much, but wants people to know that he is very, very sorry for what he has done and that he will do everything in the world to make up to us for his great mistake."

Then Mrs. Vogel looked saddened and her voice was soft and motherly:

"My George is a very sick man. He was sick when he went away. Otherwise he never would have done such a thing. I am sure the doctor will find that he is unbalanced from too much work and worry. He works hard and has so much responsibility."

Always the defender, the frail little mother added proudly:

"We all love him. We adore our daddy. He has been a wonderful husband and father and no one in the world can say he hasn't. This—this thing that has happened is the first trouble I have ever had."

She spoke of Robert and broke down completely. It was a sad scene and one that would bring tears to the eyes of anyone.

"I tried to make Christmas nice for everyone, but the spirit wasn't there," she choked pitifully. "Our hearts weren't in it this year without our Robert."

For several minutes Mrs. Vogel sobbed—then wiped her eyes and apologized:

"Forgive me. I can't break down before my children and I needed a good cry."

Fire Routs 2 Families

Two North Side families were routed late yesterday when fire destroyed the homes of Henry Laebetter, 804 Beaver avenue, and Curtis Vale, 806 Beaver avenue. Damage was estimated at $3,500.

The fire, which started when a live coal fell to the floor in the Vale home, spread rapidly. Both houses were frame dwellings. Firemen succeeded in keeping the flames from spreading to several nearby frame houses.

THE WEATHER

Local Forecast.

Fair and not so cold tonight; lowest temperature tonight about 25 degrees. Wednesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain; rising temperature.

General Indications.

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Partly cloudy and not so cold tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain; rising temperature in south portion.

Hourly Temperatures.

12 midnight	23	9 a. m.	22
1 a. m.	22	10 a. m.	24
2 a. m.	22	11 a. m.	29
3 a. m.	22	12 noon	32
4 a. m.	21	1 p. m.	36
5 a. m.	21	2 p. m.	39
6 a. m.	21	3 p. m.	40
7 a. m.	21		
8 a. m.	20		

Bulletin.

Observations taken by the United States Weather Bureau. The morning temperature readings were taken at 8 o'clock. The lowest temperature is for 12 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning. Precipitation is for 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning.

Stations.	Temp. 8 am.	L.	Pre-cip.	Stations.	Temp. 8 am.	L.	Pre-cip.
Atlanta	36	34	.00	Miami	68	56	.01
Atl. City	22	20	.00	M'tgomery	36	34	.00
Bismarck	2	0	.00	Nashville	26	26	.00
Boise	22	22	.00	NwOrleans	44	44	.00
Boston	20	20	.00	New York	22	20	.00
Buffalo	28	24	.00	Norfolk	26	26	.00
Chat'ooga	30	30	.00	Oklahoma	42	42	.00
Chicago	32	30	.00	Omaha	40	38	.00
Cincinnati	20	18	.00	P'kersburg	14	14	.00
Cleveland	24	22	.00	Perry S'nd	34	34	.00
Columbus	22	20	.00	P'delphia	24	24	.00
Denver	22	22	.00	PITTSBGH	20	20	.00
DesMoines	40	36	.00	P'tland,Ore	42	42	.30
Detroit	26	26	.24	St. Louis	30	30	.00
Duluth	12	8	.00	St. Paul	22	18	.00
Harrisbg	24	24	.00	S. L. City	24	20	.00

LINDY SET TO HOP FOR TROPICS

By International News Service.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—Preparations by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh for his flight to Guatemala were begun today in earnest.

After a study of weather reports, America's flying ambassador decided definitely to take off early tomorrow morning. He will fly to Guatemala City in a direct line and hopes to complete the 800 miles in nine hours.

Today Lindy tested the motors of the Spirit of St. Louis thoroughly and gathered all the equipment necessary for his journey.

While Col. Lindbergh takes off tomorrow to the south, his mother will begin her air journey to the north, back to Detroit.

The last official social function to the famous flyer and his mother was given yesterday. Ambassador and Mrs. Morrow gave a garden party in their honor, to which only Americans were invited. There were about six hundred guests.

On behalf of the American colony here, Ambassador Morrow presented Mrs. Lindbergh and her son with several silver plates.

JUDD GRAY DIVIDES HIS TURKEY WITH CELLMATES

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Henry Judd Gray celebrated Christmas by ordering a turkey and sharing it with five other men in his section in Sing Sing death house. His mother, Mrs. Margaret Gray, and sister, Mrs. Harold Logan, visited him.

The only visitors to Mrs. Ruth Snyder, Judd's aid in the killing of Albert Snyder, were Warden and Mrs. Lewis E. Lawes. It was the first time Mrs. Lawes had seen the condemned woman.

Neither Gray nor Mrs. Snyder received any gifts.

THE LOS ANGELES

With faint hope held for the four persons aboard Mrs. Frances Grayson's Dawn monoplane when it vanished into the mysterious silences of the air, the Los Angeles, giant U. S. Navy dirigible, was ordered to spend the day searching waters in the vicinity of Sable Island, off Cape Cod. Two of the Navy's speediest destroyers were dispatched early today to the same locality. Naval men hold that two days of cold weather and stormy seas have made existence of life on the monoplane, should it in reality have fallen at sea, almost an impossibility.

FINLEYVILLE MAN DIES IN FLAMES OF HOME

FINLEYVILLE, Pa., Dec. 27.—George A. Bates, 58, blacksmith, was burned to death in his home, where he lived alone, yesterday when the structure was destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

AGED CARRICK MAN DIES AFTER FALL DOWN STAIRS

Christian Sutter, 70, died in the South Side Hospital today from a fractured skull suffered Saturday night when he fell down stairs at his home, 14 Louisa street, Carrick.

NEGRO IS SLAIN IN MIDLAND GUN FIGHT

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Dec. 27.—George Bumpus, 45, Negro, is dead today, a result of a gun battle at Midland, Pa., while police seek his alleged assailant, James Hampton, also a Negro.

FIRST FUNERAL IN MINE EVICTION WAR

'TWAS THE DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Saturday, Mrs. Catherine Lubresky, 42, first victim of the Pennsylvania mine owners war of eviction against striking miners and their families, was buried on a bleak hillside overlooking Springdale. The grave is four miles from the cold and draughty barracks where Mrs. Lubresky was forced to go following her eviction, although suffering from pneumonia, when ordered from the company-owned house. Her daughter Ellen, 20, collapsed at the grave.

UNCLEANED STREET THREATENS LIVES

HEAVY FORBES STREET TRAFFIC ENDANGERED BY ICE HAZARD

Water seeping from the hillside above Forbes street a short distance toward Oakland from its intersection with the Boulevard of the Allies, has formed into a rough, rutted ice mass, seven and eight inches deep. It completely blocks one side of the street to the car tracks and presents a hazard which caused a score or more near-accidents in the early morning office hour rush today. The street toward Oakland is dry and entirely clear of ice. Coming around the turn, the motorist is confronted by this dangerous ice zone. If a street car is beside or before him, he has no choice but to plunge over the rutted, slippery mass, taking his own life and that of his passengers into his hands.

WASHINGTON BRANDS BAIRD AS PENNINGTON'S ACCUSER

THE DAILY PICTORIAL THE SUN TELEGRAPH GENERAL NEWS SECTION

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ELKS COME TO SANTA'S AID

Photo by Sun-Tele Staff Photographer.

CARE FOR 650 FAMILIES

No. 11 Elks made 650 families happy on Christmas Day. Tony Helser, George Wintner, Mrs. H. Sadie Aronson, Sol Susmann, A. W. Liebler, Dan McWilliams, Sam Neuman and H. B. Rosenthal are shown, left to right, a part of committee which distributed baskets of foodstuffs to poor families of Pittsburgh district, Saturday and Sunday.

ALE BOUND FOR PITTSBURGH SEIZED

FRANKLIN, Pa., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Three hundred and fifty bottles of Canadian ale, a large touring car and a moving van were confiscated by the police yesterday and Frank Checkeye, of Arnold, placed under arrest on an open charge in connection with the haul.

The touring car broke down in the streets of Franklin Sunday night, and was left standing several feet from the curb. Police looked it over, but failed to find anything out of place. This morning, a large moving van from Pittsburgh was near the stranded car and two men waiting nearby. The men and cars were taken to police headquarters, where the touring car was found to have 350 bottles of ale hidden under false floor boards.

Both drivers disclaimed knowledge of the cargo, the touring car driver claiming to have been hired to drive the car to Pittsburgh after it had been stolen and the truck driver claiming to have been hired to tow the car back to Pittsburgh, after it broke down. The moving van was found to be empty, and its driver was released.

More Shaves, More Beard, Not True, Woman Says

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—The popular theory that the more a man shaves the faster his beard grows was exploded today by a woman.

Dr. Mildred Trotter, assistant professor of anatomy at Washington University, St. Louis, told anthropologists attending the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science that the use of a razor apparently had no effect on the growth of a beard. Neither was there any correlation between variation in the day's temperature and variation in the hair growth, she said.

The beards of four men gave Dr. Trotter the material for her study. At definite intervals during a nine-month period the shavings of the quartet were collected and samples of hair were measured.

SLED BROUGHT BY SANTA BRINGS DEATH TO BOY

MIDLAND, Pa., Dec. 27.—Coasting on a graded highway near his home on a sled which Santa had brought him, Delmar Conkle, 10, Hookstown, was killed instantly yesterday when the sled collided with an auto driven by Jack Recht, East Liverpool, O.

Poet's Son

Photo by International Newsreel.

UGO D'ANNUNZIO

Ugo Vepleto D'Annunzio, son of the famous Italian poet, Gabriele D'Annunzio, has arrived here from Italy on a business trip.

SALVATION ARMY ON JOB AGAIN

HAPPY CHRISTMAS

1,300 CHRISTMAS BASKETS DISTRIBUTED

The Salvation Army Saturday distributed 1,500 baskets containing all the essentials of a real Christmas dinner to needy families and later gave a Christmas tree entertainment and presents to more than 1,000 poor children, at their headquarters, 427 Second avenue. Picture shows baskets being distributed in front of the huge tree that delighted the hearts of the kiddies.

FEAR RIOTS AT FUNERAL OF SLAIN POLICEMAN

SOUTH PITTSBURG, Tenn., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—National guardsmen here today focused their attention on possibilities of a disorderly aftermath to funerals of police officers who fell in Christmas night's shotgun battle between county and city law enforcement forces.

By tomorrow night final rites will have been performed for all six men killed, with two ceremonies tomorrow added to the four of today.

FEAR FEUD TO FLARE

These ceremonies in rural churches of Marion and neighboring counties may fan flames of feud, Lieut. Col. A. W. Buckholtz, commander of the militia on duty, said.

While friends and relatives of the officers who died in the battle attended to final obsequies, Attorney General Tom Stewart, of Tennessee, pushed an investigation of the fray, which broke out suddenly Sunday night. Witnesses declared it was the outgrowth of division of sympathies of county and city forces in a recent strike in a local manufacturing plant.

A special session of Marion County Circuit Court was called today to select a successor to Sheriff Wash Coppinger, one of the men killed. Turner Coppinger, the dead sheriff's son, now jailor as Jasper, the county seat, had been mentioned as a probable choice.

Sheriff Coppinger, Deputy Sheriff L. A. Hennessey, Night Marshal Ben Parker, City Marshal Ewing Smith and Special Policeman O. H. Larome were killed in the fight, Police Chief Jim Conner was fatally wounded and Deputy Sheriff Fayette Nelson and Special Policemen Charles Pittman and John Bates were less seriously wounded.

MORGANZA FUGITIVE CAUGHT IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 27.—George Fodor, 15, of 281 Wiesen street, Sharon, Pa., who escaped from the Pennsylvania Training School Sunday was found hiding under the porch of a residence in North Main street here yesterday. He is alleged to have broken into the store of Paul Provanzano, 621 North Main street, to steal Christmas candy and delicacies. He was returned to the training school.

PRIZE CORN GROWER

EVA FOX

Miss Eva Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fox, of the Mercer community, was a winner in both the Yellow Dent and White Cap classes at the Mercer corn show. Miss Fox was a winner in the junior division. She is shown here with samples of the winning corn. She is a senior in Mercer high school.

TREASURY COUNTERS DENIALS

By GLADSTONE WILLIAMS,
Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Despite vigorous denials of former Prohibition Administrator Baird, of Pittsburgh, Treasury Department informants still insist that he was the guiding spirit behind improper enforcement charges against Administrator Pennington, of the Western Pennsylvania-West Virginia district.

Though Baird may not have filed the charges with all the formalities of a legal brief, he is declared to have appeared at the Treasury Department with a list of oral grievances amounting to the same thing. Also, he is understood by officials to have inspired the more formal presentation of one of his former agents.

According to the source of information, Baird's charges were presented first at the office of one of the Treasury Department heads. Later they were referred to Assistant Secretary Lowman, in charge of enforcement activities, and, finally, to Prohibition Commissioner Doran, who gave Pennington a clean bill of health.

The charges were built around the allegation that Administrator Pennington had permitted searches and seizures by his agents in the Pittsburgh district without proper warrants.

Baird, though not leaving with prohibition officials a formal complaint, nevertheless delivered a quiet protest and inspired, it is declared, the list of grievances presented by a former agent of the district.

MANY BIRDS USING SCOUT SANCTUARY

GROVE CITY, Pa., Dec. 27.—Hundreds of birds, including quail and ring-neck pheasants, are feeding at the sanctuary along the Blackstown-Grove City road, built and maintained by Boy Scouts. Grain is provided by state game wardens.

Lindy Seen as Aid to Farmers by Will Rogers

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Dec. 27.—Lindy is leaving today to go to Guatemala and from there on down to Nicaragua. He was talking before I left down there about how he could tell which side of the battle line to land on when he got there. The American Marines are on one side and the rebels on the other. He said he guessed he would have to come down in "no man's land" to remain absolutely neutral. We are still settling that election for them down there. Mexican stocks have gone up since Lindy flew into Mexico. Why didn't the farmers get him to fly over their place?

WILL ROGERS.

Yours,
WILL ROGERS.

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5 HURT AS CAR HITS TRUCK

Returning from a dance at 3 o'clock this morning, five persons were injured when their auto collided with a truck at East Ohio and Sandusky streets. Ross Quickel, Loudenville, O.; Thomas Malley, 1421 Arch street; Howard James, 1509 Boyle street; Margaret Gevatsky, 3433 California avenue, and Anthony Harper, 1600 Middle street, were attended at two North Side hospitals for cuts and bruises. Quickel and Edward Hoffman, 1824 Lewella street, driver of the truck, were charged with reckless driving.

Marie Donnelly, 19, of 525 Geranium street, was run down by an auto at East Ohio street and Madison avenue at 11 o'clock last night and suffered a fractured hip. George Yoke, 21, of 320 Penn street, Verona, driver of the car, was arrested charged with violating the automobile laws and reckless driving.

Alex Silimore, 75, of 3890 Brighton road, was run down last night near his home and is in St. John's Hospital with a probable fracture of the skull. Charles B. Hobe, 28, of Hamilton avenue, was arrested charged with reckless driving.

P. R. R. OPENS DINING CAR SCHOOL IN COLUMBUS

A training school and experimental kitchen for the instruction of dining car stewards, cooks and waiters has been opened by the Pennsylvania Railroad at Columbus, O. An exact reproduction of the latest type of dining car has been installed in the commissary building there, and classes are conducted under conditions as nearly as possible like those met on the road in actual service.

Expert chefs and a "professor of waiting" teach the fine art of cooking and serving to neophytes. Courtesy and details of personal appearance are also in the curriculum.

TEXAS GIRL BANK ROBBER HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 27.—Becky Rogers, under sentence of 14 years in the penitentiary for bank robbery, spent Christmas with her mother here. The girl was released from the Fayette County Jail on $5,000 bond pending decision of the Court of Appeals for a new trial. Otis Rogers, her husband, from whom she was separated at time of the robbery, spent the day with her.

HILL GOES ON TRIAL FOR MOTHER'S DEATH

OTTAWA, Ill., Dec. 27.—Harry H. Hill, in jail here on charges of having slain his mother, will go on trial today for his life. Four lawyers have been retained by the youth's father, Dr. H C. Hill, prominent Streator, Ill., eye specialist, divorced from Harry's mother for several years, to defend the boy.

MAYOR KLINE GETS CHRISTMAS PORTRAIT

FRANK R. MURRAY
MAYOR KLINE
ROY D. SCHOOLEY
WALTER J. LLOYD

Photo by Sun-Tele Staff Photographer.

EAST END CHAIRMEN EXPRESS ESTEEM

Mayor Charles H. Kline was a surprise victim in his own office Saturday, when the six Republican East End ward chairmen — Roy D. Schooley, Charles A. Burke, Charles A. Hillegas William J. Soost and E. D. G. Friebertshauser—presented him with a life-like oil portrait of himself. Walter J. Lloyd, state labor personnel director; Schooley, Frank R. Murray, the artist, and the mayor are shown at the unveiling, which was attended by about 50 close friends of the mayor.

RAMP CONTRACT AWARDED

Contracts aggregating $109,234 have been awarded by Edward G. Lang, Director of the Department of Public Works, he announced today. The largest is one of $10,516 for the reconstruction of viaducts and ramp on the Boulevard of the Allies. It was awarded to Booth & Flinn. M. O'Herron Company got at $1,400 contracts for work on the Ellsworth avenue bridge. The Penn Drilling Company was awarded a $2,408 contract for drilling test holes as part of the river front improvement program. Hess & Barton secured a $2,910 contract for electrical repairs to the North Side asphalt plant, damaged by the gas tank explosion.

SLASHER HELD FOR COURT

Joseph Jankowski, 38, 154 Forty-fourth street, will have to forego for a long time, his chief indoor sport, which, according to police, is chasing his family out of the house with a knife and trying to carve his wife, Mary. He was held for court today by Magistrate A. D. Brandon in Morals Court charged with slashing his wife December 15, after which he hacked his own throat inflicting a wound which kept him in St. Margaret's Hospital two weeks. He had been sent to the workhouse twice previously for beating his wife, it was testified.

Mrs. Hearst Gives Movie Party For Cripples

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Never, probably—not even back in the good old days when the show used to troupe it through the town halls and the rural "Oprey House" circuit—has the sterling old classic, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," been given a more tumultuous reception than that accorded it yesterday at the Central Theater.

The occasion was Mrs. William Randolph Hearst's annual theater party to the crippled children of the city's hospitals.

More than 1,100 youngsters thronged the Central as the guests of Mrs. Hearst to view Universal's screen version of the tangled lives of Uncle Tom, Topsy, Little Eva, Simon Legree and Lawyer Marks. Brought to the theater from their hospitals by the buses of the Fifth Avenue Coach Company, the children proceeded to turn the occasion into a stellar holiday event.

Not only was there the "Uncle Tom" film to delight them, but there were other short subjects to add to the enjoyment, with candy and a substantial present for each and every one of them. Mrs. Hearst had arranged the party through the cooperation of Carl Laemmle, head of Universal Pictures, and had the satisfaction of witnessing one of the most successful of the many festitities which she holds from time to time for the little unfortunates.

Opening the show was the newest film featuring "Snookums," the baby star, who appeared in a pleasing comedy, "The Newly-Weds' Christmas Party." After the youngsters had gotten thoroughly into the gala spirit by watching the antics of the clever young "Snookums," there came one of the latest releases of the International Newsreel, and then the big feature, "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

The sentiment in which the theater party was received by the children seemed epitomized in the remarks of a little girl who struggled to carry her doll as she hobbled out of the lobby on her crutches. She said:

"I can't find Mrs. Hearst to thank her for this party, but I do wish somebody would tell her that I've had the best time I've enjoyed in such a long time. I just cried and cried when I saw poor Little Eva go to Heaven!"

CHANGE OFFICIALS AT DONORA MILLS

DONORA, Pa., Dec. 27.—Important changes in the personnel of the local mills of the American Steel and Wire Company, effective January 1, have been announced. Charles J. Brown succeds August Mann as gneral superintendent and E. J. VanNeesen replaces L. M. Miller as assistant superintendent.

POLITICAL BAZAR HELD TO AID NEEDY

Photo by Sun-Tele Staff Photographer.

DISPENSE CHRISTMAS CHEER

The Fifteenth Ward Republican Club bazar closed Saturday after having been conducted for 10days. A fund of more than $900 in cash and 175 huge baskets of food were distributed to needy families in the district. In the above picture are Mrs. J. G. Charles, Mrs. M. E. Dietrick, Mrs. J. J. Dolan and John M. Barrett, general chairmen. Miss Agnes McGrail was chairman of the women's auxiliary and Mrs. John Collins treasurer. They were assisted by 20 women.

TAX DUPLICATIONS SWELL TREASURER'S PAY

M'GOVERN BARES PRACTICE IN AUDIT

Duplicated tax moneys are turned over by the county treasurer's office to the private income of the county treasurer, Controller C. C. McGovern brought out today at his audit hearings entered upon last week.

McGovern brought from Robert A. Harkins, chief tax collector for County Treasurer Samuel D. Foster, the information that whenever, through misunderstanding, a tax is paid twice the money takes the form of additional salary for the treasurer.

At the end of each fiscal year, Harkins testified, duplicate tax moneys are turned over to the treasurer in a private envelope. Harkins estimated that between $9,000 and $10,000 had come from such sources in the last four years, but McGovern suggested that the sum was much healthier and he roundly scored such tactics. He also learned from the witness that duplicated taxes are not returned unless the taxpayer, learning of the duplication, requests such action.

MINISTER ADDRESSES KLAN MEETING IN OHIO

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., Dec. 27.—The Rev. R. L. Lowe, Negro pastor of the A. M. E. Church, Uhrichsville, addressed a meeting of Tuscarawas county klansmen at a Christmas celebration last night at the County Protestant Home farm.

Doctor Dies

DR. GEORGE H. VAUX

Dr. Vaux, for 30 years a physician of Pittsburgh, died in his home, 5200 Liberty avenue, after a six-months illness.

ONE DEAD, ONE HURT IN TROLLEY-TRUCK CRASH

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 27.—When a street car crashed into a coal truck here today, Joseph Staniswick, 40, was fatally injured and Joseph Sezepenik, 48, was injured seriously. Both men were on the truck. Staniswick died from a fractured skull. Police started an investigation of the wreck.

The Death Roll

George H. Vaux.

Dr. George H. Vaux, 62, of 5200 Liberty avenue, for 30 years a practicing physician in Pittsburgh, died in his home today after a six-months' illness. Dr. Vaux was born on the South Side and was graduated from Western University of Pennsylvania in 1895. He was a member of Shady Side United Presbyterian Church and the staff of Passavant Hospital. Dr. Vaux was a cousin of the late Dr. Carey J. Vaux, city physician. He leaves one son, James Edward Vaux; a sister, Mrs. Ella V. Plummer, New York City, and a brother, Dr. David W. Vaux. His wife, Mollie Earley Vaux, died in 1918. He was a son of the late James Edward and Letitia Jones Vaux.

Osmon L. Eaton.

Osmon Lynn Eaton, aged 65, brother-in-law of Judge Harry H. Rowand, and special representative of C. W. Galloway, vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, died Saturday in his home, Brayton apartments, South Negley avenue. Previous to being appointed special representative he held the position of trainmaster at Pittsburgh. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Mary Rowand Eaton; one daughter, Mrs. Martha Eaton Brickman; one son, Osmon L. Eaton, and a brother, E. E. Eaton of Wilkinsburg. He was a member of Verona Lodge, F. & A. M.

S. S. Robertson.

Attorney S. S. Robertson, 69, of 212 South Braddock avenue, one of the most widely known members of the Allegheny County Bar Association, died yesterday of pneumonia in a hospital in Oklahoma City, Okla., after a six weeks' illness.

Mr. Robertson was born in Scotland in 1857, came to the United States in 1884 and was admitted to the bar a few years later. He married Carrie B. Bailey of Pittsburgh, who died several years ago.

He was a director of the Ruud Water Heating Company; counsel vice president and organizer of the Rieck Dairy Company before its combine; former president of the Amen Corner and a member of the Pittsburgh Athletic Association.

John Trester, Jr.

John Trester, Jr., 35, died in his home, 1314 Spruce avenue, South Pasadena, according to word received by relatives in Pittsburgh, where he formerly resided. He was a native of Scranton, but after completing a course of forestry, located here, and when the United States entered the World War he was appointed a captain in the forestry division. Capt. Trester was married to Miss Grace A. Richardson of Pittsburgh, and for a number of years they resided in Brookline, but a few years ago they located in California.

P. P. Holliday.

Persifer P. Holliday, 44, of Holliday's Cove, W. Va., cousin of Mrs. John E. McKirdy, this city, died at his home Sunday following a short illness. Mr. Holliday was born in Altoona in 1883 and was a graduate of Lehigh and the University of Pennsylvania. He leaves his wife, mother and one brother. Funeral services and interment will be held at Bellwood, Blair county, Thursday.

Mrs. Frederick Lipke.

Mrs. Magdalena Lipke, 87, died yesterday in her home, Duncan avenue, Hampton township. Born in Germany, Mrs. Lipke came to this country 64 years ago, settling with her parents in Hampton township. She was a member of St. Ursula's Catholic Church. She leaves a sister, two sons, two daughters, 30 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

J. Howard McFeely.

J. Howard McFeely of 1050 Devon street died yesterday. He was sales manager of the McFeely Brick Company. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Ada Weakley McFeely.

Ira G. Deitrick, Sr.

Ira G. Deitrick, Sr., 59, 58 Forest avenue, Ben Avon, died Sunday night. He was an active member of the Ben Avon Methodist Church and associated with the auditing department of the American Bridge Works for 25 years. Mr. Deitrick leaves his widow, two sons, two daughters and two brothers.

Andrew McKeever.

Andrew McKeever, 69, for 18 years a grocer at Turtle Creek, died Sunday in his home, 839 Larimer avenue extension, Turtle Creek. Mr. McKeever was born in Westmoreland county. He moved to Turtle Creek when 6 years old. He was a members of the Presbyterian Church. He leaves his widow.

August Cavanaugh.

August Cavanaugh, 84, died yesterday at the home of his son, Thomas Cavanaugh, Venetia R. D. No. 1. He was born in Italy and came to this country when in his 'teens. He located near Finleyville with his parents, and since that time had spent most of his time in the vicinity of the farm on which he died.

William Mischler.

William Mischler, 60, well-known former resident of this city, dropped dead Christmas eve while on his way to attend mass in Glendale, Cal. Mischler formerly lived at 4915½ Dearborn street. Mischler until three months ago was employed by the Pittsburgh Railways Company as a superintendent. For more than 35 years he was connected with the company. He was retired three months ago, and with his wife went to California for the winter. The body will be brought to Pittsburgh, arriving here Friday night. The funeral will be held from his former residence.

ASKS $25,000 OF CITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY

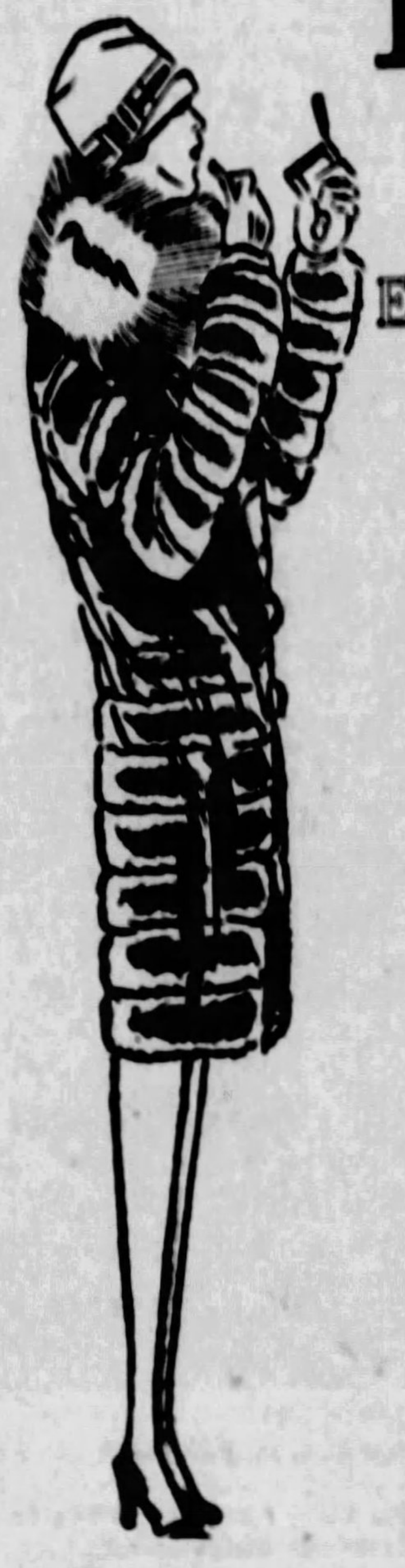
Anna Siefert and Ellis Siefert, her husband, entered suit in Common Pleas Court for $25,000 damages against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received by the woman plaintiff February 10, last. The plaintiffs complain that when Mrs. Seifert was walking on Madison avenue she was struck by an automobile that had swerved upon the sidewalk after being caught in a hole in the street. She avers that she has been permanently crippled for life.

THEATERS, OPEN SUNDAY, HEADS FINED THIRD TIME

DOVER, O., Dec. 27.—For the third time in as many weeks, George Chrest, Roscoe Spidell and Edward F. Allman, movie theater managers, were fined $10 each today by Mayor P. J. Groh for operating theaters on Sunday.

JOHNSTOWN BRAKEMAN IS KILLED IN YARDS

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 27.—Norman Ambrose, 52, a brakeman, was run down and instantly killed today by a train in the yards of the Cambria Steel Works.



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495.00 FUR COATS	Reduced to	365.00
595.00 FUR COATS	Reduced to	395.00
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THREE DIE, FOUR HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Nick Kosanovic, 55, of 325 Park avenue, Woodlawn, was killed last night when he was run down by an automobile in West Carson street. The driver did not stop.

Alexander Kreidberg, 65, of 215 Dinwiddie street, died last night in the Passavant Hospital from a fractured skull shortly after he was struck by a machine near his home. James Dentrone, 5 Logan street, the driver will be turned over to the coroner.

Joseph Muskozki, 55, of Houston, died in the Allegheny Valley Hospital last night from injuries suffered several hours earlier when he was struck by an automobile in the Freeport road near Springdale. The driver, Walter Helwig of Oakmont, posted $1,000 bond.

Four persons were injured when an automobile being driven west on Bigelow boulevard crashed into two other machines and overturned last night.

The injured are, Lena Webster, Negress, 7217 Monticello street; William Murbach, 30, of 6107 Stanton avenue; Marie Murbach, 23, Margaret Murbach, 4, and Ray Granison, Negro, of 319 Farragut street, driver of the overturned machine. Granison was arrested on a charge of reckless driving.

CITE NEW RIGHT OF MOTORISTS

Valuable advice to motorists regarding their rights under the new motor vehicle code of Pennsylvania, effective January 1, is contained in a statement by C. H. Roth, secretary of the Pittsburgh Motor Club.

"One of the important changes in the Pennsylvania law," states Mr. Roth, "is the conferring upon motorists of the right to sign a written promise to appear for hearing when arrested for alleged violation of minor provisions of the law. This right to give written promise applies to non-residents as well as residents of Pennsylvania."

SPEAKERS FOR WILSON DINNER ANNOUNCED

Former Congressman John H. Wilson of Butler, and the Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Goldenson will be the speakers at the annual dinner in honor of the late President Woodrow Wilson tomorrow in the Roosevelt Hotel. The Rev. James R. Cox will offer the invocation and Mrs. Carol Miller will be toastmaster.

POLICE HERE ASKED TO AID HUNT FOR ROSSTOWN MAN

Pittsburgh police yesterday were asked to search for Roy D. Klingensmith, 38, of Rosston, Armstrong county, who failed to return to his home after coming to Pittsburgh Thursday on a business trip. He left his wife and eight children Thursday morning, telling them that he would be home that night.

THIEVES GET 12 SUITS IN NORTH SIDE STORE

Twelve suits of men's clothes valued at $350 were stolen early this morning when thieves ransacked a clothing store at 725 East Ohio street. Entrance was gained by breaking a glass in a rear door.

BLIND MAN, 91, FOUND DEAD IN OHIO SHACK

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Dec. 27.—Steve Pisak, 91, blind, oldest resident of Crescent, was found dead in a shack from influenza.

RESORTS

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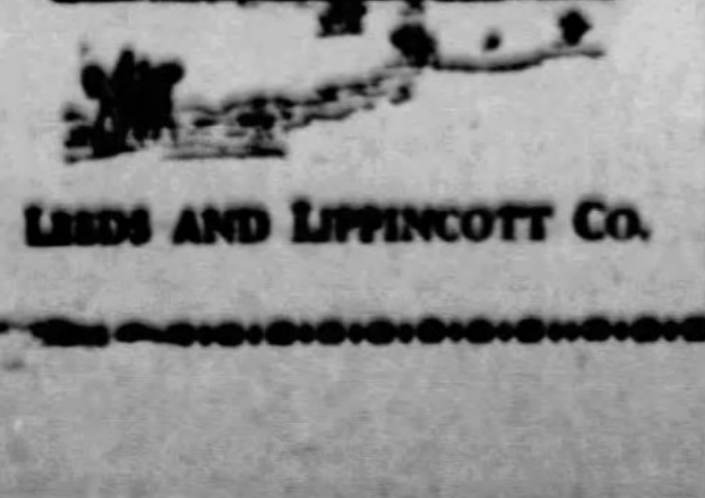

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KAUFMANN & BAER CO.

See Page 6 for Particulars of the Big Dollar Day Sale in the K. & B. Basement Store.

K&B AFTER CHRISTMAS SALE

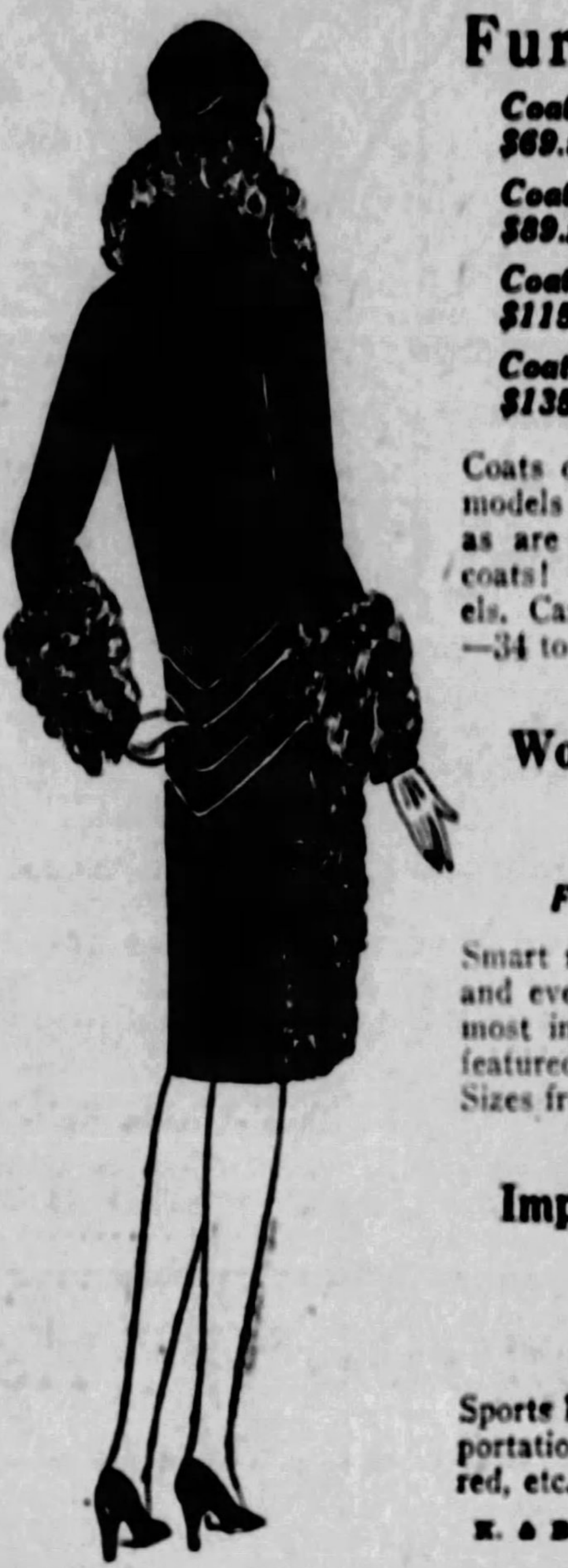
¼ ⅓ ½ OFF

We have rounded up all odd lots and broken lines of gift stocks in every department of the store for this After-Christmas Sale. Reduced all merchandise of a strictly Christmas nature ¼, ⅓ and ½. Reduced prices on many groups of ready-to-wear apparel for women, men and children. Only a few of the hundreds of lots are listed here.

Substantial Reductions on Ready-to-Wear Apparel

This After-Christmas Sale Offers Such Remarkable Savings That Feminine Pittsburgh Is Eager To Get a Generous Share!

You, who have been content to wait until AFTER CHRISTMAS before adding to your holiday wardrobe will realize that this patience means considerable as far as actual savings are concerned! That coat or dress that was priced "a little higher" than you were prepared to pay is now within your reach!



Fur-Trimmed Coats

Coats Formerly Priced $69.50 to $79.50, Now.. $45.00
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Coats Formerly Priced $115.00 to $125.00, Now $95.00
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Formerly Priced $25 to $35

Smart models for street, afternoon, dinner and evening wear. The smart new fabrics most in vogue for the coming season are featured. Light, medium and dark shades. Sizes from 14 to 52½.

Imported Knitted Dresses

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Sports knitted velvet dresses—our own importation—in attractive shades of tan, blue, red, etc. Misses' sizes.

K. & B. Co.—FASHION SALONS—Third Floor.

Handkerchiefs

KIDDIES' HANKIES
Single or 3 or 6 in a box. Entire stock now at.............. ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

Floor Coverings

WILTON RUGS
A lot of high grade Wilton rugs in discontinued patterns; sizes 6x9, 8.3x10.6, and 9x12 feet, now at.............. ⅓ Off

ODD SIZE RUGS
Perfect Royal Wiltons, Body Brussels, and Axminsters in sizes 4.6x6.6, 6x9, 7.6x9, 8.3x10.6, and 11.3x12 ft., at... ⅓ Off

ORIENTAL RUGS
A number of choice oriental and chinese rugs, in smaller sizes from 4x7 to 6x9 feet, at...... ¼ Off

SMALL WILTONS
Discontinued patterns in best quality Wilton scatter size rugs, all perfect weaves, at... ½ Off

INLAID LINOLEUM
Entire stock of odd rolls of Armstrong, Blabon, and imported inlaid linoleums offered at.. ¼ Off

100 SCATTER RUGS
Scatter size Wilton and Axminster rugs, all odd or discontinued patterns, at......... ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Eighth Floor.

Furniture

TEA WAGONS
Woven fiber and mahogany tea wagons, $13.75 to $19.75 grades. Not entire stock....... ½ Off

COFFEE TABLES
Imported marble top and wood top coffee tables, $9.75 and $10.75 grades. Not entire stock.. ⅓ Off

BOOK CASES
A number of good-looking book cases, not entire stock; many in wanted styles, at........ ½ Off

HUTCH CABINETS
A quantity of hutch and decorated cabinets, all well finished, offered now at........... ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Ninth Floor.

Silks & Woolens

CHIFFON VELVETS
$2.95 to $7.50 grades. Some all-silk. 36 to 40 inches wide...... ½ Off

WOOL COATINGS
54-inch all-wol coatings, including plaids, camels' hair, etc. $1.89 to $9.50 grades.......... ⅓ Off

SCARF LENGTHS
Crepe de chine in gay patterns. Ready to hem. 62 inches long. $1.65 grade........... ⅓ Off

K. & B. Co.—Second Floor.

Art Novelties

LOUNGE COVERS
Chaise lounge covers imported from France. Also pillows, lingerie bags. All reduced. ¼ Off

LEATHER NOVELTIES
For men, hand-tooled cigar boxes, desk sets, etc. $10 to $45 grade, now at.............. ¼ Off

NOVELTIES
Boxes, vases, note-books, frames, cigarette boxes, etc. 50c to $5 grades. Now reduced..... ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Second Floor.

China and Glass Ware, Now Priced ¼ to ½ Off

GOLD-ENCRUSTED GLASSWARE, sherbet, wines, water tumblers, etc., balance of stock.......................... 39c

CRYSTAL CUT GLASSWARE, console bowls, candy jars and boxes, handled nut bowls, etc., at..................... 39c

ETCHED GLASSWARE, plain and needled, in water and ice tea glasses, minerals, wines, etc., at .... 6 for 39c

CRYSTAL-CUT SALAD PLATES, of the 8-inch size, with neat cut design on each piece, now offered at.................... 25c

IMPORTED TEA SETS, 23 pieces to the set, in an attractive blue dragon pattern, this price a real feature............ $2.95

IMPORTED CHINESE VASES, various sizes and shapes, in colorful oriental art design......................... $1.00

IMPORTED TEA POTS, made of plain brown pottery, in a very neat and useful size, fully glazed........................ 39c

COLORED GLASSWARE, peach and green, in a large assortment of dishes, trays and vases............ 4 for $1.00

GLASS CANDY BOXES, jars, candle sticks, in amber and green, gold encrusted and etched, at..................... $1.50

K. & B. Co.—Seventh Floor.

Gloves Reduced

WOMEN'S KID GLOVES
Entire stock women's kid gloves, novelty cuff and slip-on style.. ⅓ Off

WOM. FABRIC GLOVES
Entire stock fabric gloves in plain and novelty cuff style.... ⅓ Off
Entire stock of fur and wool-lined women's gloves...... ⅓ Off

CHILDREN'S GLOVES
Entire stock of children's gloves. Leather, wool and fabric.. ⅓ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

House Frocks, Aprons

TUB SILK FROCKS
Entire stock of house frocks in tub silk, rayon and linen, at..... ½ Off

HOUSE APRONS
House aprons and dresses of cotton materials. Not entire stock.. ⅓ Off

MAIDS' UNIFORMS
Not entire stock but good selection. Black with white....... ⅓ Off

K. & B. Co.—Fourth Floor.

Trimmings

FUR TRIMMINGS
Entire stock of fur trimmings, 1 to 6 inches wide, at... ¼ Off

SPANISH SHAWLS
Gorgeously embroidered Spanish shawls. $7.95 to $39.50 grades, at.............. ¼ Off

DRESS ORNAMENTS
Rhinestone ornaments in many styles. Entire stock at..... ¼ Off

FILET PIECES
Hand-made filet chairbacks, doilies, spreads, etc. Entire stock, now at.............. ¼ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

Boys' Wear

FLANNELETTE PAJAMAS
One and two piece style pajamas for boys of 4 to 16 years, $1.49, to $1.95 grades, at.. ⅓ Off

SHIRTS AND BLOUSES
Odd lots of shirts and blouses, slightly mussed from display, all sizes, 95c to $1.49 grades at.............. ¼ Off

K. & B. Co.—Fourth Floor.

Jewelry

ODD TRINKETS
An odd lot of beautiful beaded necklaces, brooches and earrings, not the entire stock at... ½ Off

WOMEN'S BAGS
Imported novelty afternoon and evening bags, selected from the regular stock offered at... ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

Furnishings

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS
Entire stock of Men's handkerchiefs, all grades, in linen, cotton and silk, offered at... ½ Off

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Furlined and dress gloves, including every pair in our stock, well-known makes, at......... ⅓ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

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The entire stock of cretonne chair and swing pads, cotton-filled, some tufted and others with springs, all sizes, at...... ½ Off

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The balance of our large velour cushion stock, all well made with tapestry centers, in various colors, at.............. ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Sixth Floor.

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K. & B. Co.—Sixth Floor.

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Underwear

WOMEN'S SILK UNDERWEAR
Odd lot silk gowns, chemise, step-ins and costume slips—lace trimmed or tailored models in pretty pastel shades. Not entire stock, offered at.. ¼ Off

MERODE UNDERWEAR
Entire stock of the famous Merode make of women's and children's underwear—wide assortment of weights and styles. Now offered at........ ½ Off

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Odd lot silk top and mercerized union suits in ankle and knee length styles. Not entire stock, at ½ Off

K. & B. Co.—Fourth Floor.

Hosiery Reduced

WOMEN'S HOSIERY
Odd lots of silk, lisle, silk-and-wool. Not entire stock....... ⅓ Off

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY
Odd lots of long and ¾ lengths. Wool-and-silk. Not entire stock, now reduced..... ⅓ Off

K. & B. Co.—Street Floor.

Children's Wear

BATH ROBES
Bathrobes in Beacon or Terry cloth. Not all sizes in every style. Sizes to 16 years. $1.95, $2.95, $3.95 grades at..... $1.00

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K. & B. Co.—Fourth Floor.

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ODD LOT FANCY LINENS
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Odd lots. Porto Rican and cut work and filet lace trimmed linen towels. Also cross-stitch linen towels .... ¼ Off

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Odd lots. Irish linen pattern cloths and napkins—slightly soiled from handling. Not entire stock. Now at... ¼ Off

ODD LOT WARM BLANKETS
Not entire stock; all-wool and wool mixed blankets; white and colored block plaids—slightly soiled from handling. Now offered at.......... ¼ Off

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Not entire stock; silk brocade and rayon comforts—lambs' wool filled—with attractive front and back coverings. To go at only............. ¼ Off

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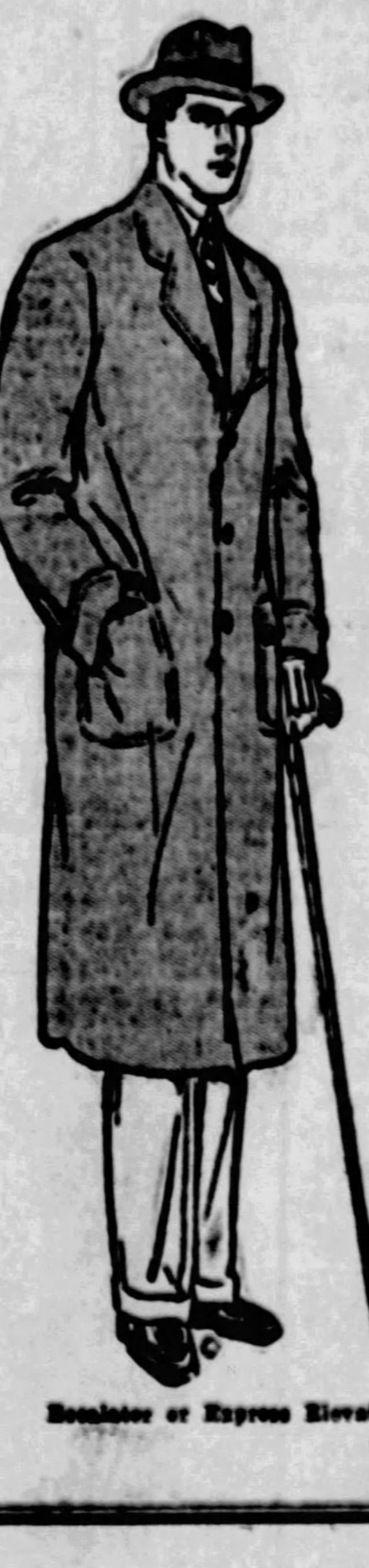

All $50 to $85 Suits, Now ¼ Off
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$35 College Hall Two-Trouser Suits, Now.............. ¼ Off
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Women's Slippers, 2 Prs. Heavy quality felt; heavily padded soles and heels. Choice of colors. Sizes 3 to 8...... $1

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Stair Treads, Priced 20 for Good heavy quality rubber. Size 7x18 inches. Special for Dollar Day Sale $1

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Imported Rag Rugs, 2 for Mottled designs. Size 27x54 inches. Splendid quality. Very attractive $1

Men's Overalls and Jackets Union made; blue, white and striped styles. Sizes 34 to 46. Special for Dollar Day Sale.. $1

Men's $1.49 Trousers, Pair Durable cloths; well tailored to fit well; dark striped effects. Sizes 28 to 48...... $1

Odd Lots Boys' Slickers Also small size overcoats and bathrobes. About 100 garments in all. Broken sizes.. $1

Small Boys' Suits, Special New lot of 2-piece lumberjack, novelty combination, corduroy and jersey suits; some samples; some seconds. Sizes 3 to 8. $1

Small Boys' Suits, 2 for Dark fabrics or washable fabrics. All reduced from much higher priced stock. Wash suits, sizes 3 to 5. Fabric suits, sizes 3 to 6. $1

Men's Union Suits, 2 for Winter weight; ribbed; long sleeves and ankle length legs; closed crotch. Sizes 36 to 46. $1

Men's Cape Gloves, Pair Warmly lined; serviceable. Surplus stock and irregulars of better qualities; all sizes.. $1

Men's Warm Sweaters at Paris jersey knit; lumberjack style; knit bottom and fleece lined. Brown and drab..... $1

Men's Sample Sox, 6 Pairs 35c and 59c grades; silk and silk and rayon Merino mixtures; irregulars, in all sizes. Choice of colors. $1

Men's Work Socks, 10 Prs. Sturdy cotton weight; reinforced heel and toe; full loped toe; elastic top............ $1

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Men's—Women's—Children's

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Men's Underwear—Pacific mills shirts or drawers—natural grey merino, light medium weight. Sizes 34 to 46. Each.................... $1

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Men's Union Suits—heavy ribbed random suits with long sleeves, closed crotch and ankle length—sizes 34 to 46. Offered at less than cost of production. Some irregulars. Limit four to a customer....... 2 for $1

Boys' Ribbed Cotton Union Suits—brushed back—slightly fleeced—broken sizes.............. 3 for $1

Boys' Ribbed Union Suits—random color—part wool—form-fitting—flap seat. Each.................... $1

Boys' Heavier Union Suits—50% wool—heavy and warm—values not often possible. Each.................... $1

Children's Union Suits—white or random—strongly taped—all sizes. Panty waist suits with drop seats. Some irregulars. 2 for $1

Women's Bloomers—special group of plain and fancy chemise bloomers—finest quality rayon—regular and extra sizes. Each.......... $1

Women's Rayon Underwear—nicely made bloomers, chemises and step-ins. At.............. 2 for $1

Rayon Lingerie—gowns, slips, step-ins, panties, chemises—lace trimmed. Each.............................. $1

Lingerie—cotton and novelty muslins—bloomers, slips and gowns..................... 3 for $1

Lingerie—regular and extra sizes in bloomers, slips, chemise and gowns, in good nainsooks, rayon alpacas, striped sateen and voiles..................... 2 for $1

Nainsook Lingerie—from a nationally known maker. Extra sizes only. Daintily trimmed gowns, chemise, slips, bloomers; all full cut. Each........ $1

Women's Union Suits—also knit vests and pants. Sizes 34 and 38 only. Light weight, shell knee..................... 6 for $1

Thousands of Pieces Lingerie—voiles, nainsooks, windsor crepe, gowns, slips, chemise, bloomers, step-ins and chemises. Many pieces are worth twice and three times the price. Regular and extra sizes. Each........................ $1

Women's Flannel Gowns—soft quality, nice and warm—various striped combination colors.. 2 for $1

Finest Flannel Gowns—regular and extra sizes. In plain and striped patterns. Nicely made. Each................ $1

Women's Union Suits—finest combed yarns, some rayon-mixed—fleece lined. Sizes 38 to 50... 3 for $1

Women's Union Suits—fleece lined—high neck, long sleeves, ankle length or dutch neck, elbow sleeves and knee length. Sizes 38 to 50... 2 for $1

K. & B. Co.—Basement Sale.

Boys' Knickers, 2 Pairs Strong cotton or cotton mixed fabrics. Sizes 8 to 16. Mostly small sizes. Dark patterns... $1

Boys' Long Pants, Pair for Heavy cotton or cotton mixed fabrics. All dark. Plenty of large waist sizes. Sizes 8 to 17 $1

Boys' Corduroy Knickers Newly arrived; full lined; strongly stitched; brown. Sizes 8 to 16 years........ $1

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Women's Rayon Lingerie

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Wonderful values in bloomers, vests, chemises and step-ins. Lace trimmed and tailored styles, made of exceptionally good quality rayon. In the wanted pastel shades. Women will be eager to buy a full season's supply at this price which represents savings of almost half.

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

Girls' Wash Dresses, 2 for Gingham, percale and novelty cotton. Long and short sleeves. In plain colors, prints, stripes or figures. Sizes 8 to 14 in the lot. $1

Women's Knitted Slips at Of gray cotton with built-up shoulder, snug-fitting body—warm quality. Sizes 28 to 44. $1

Women's, Misses' Sweaters All-wool slipons or coat styles—long sleeves; collar or collarless styles. Attractive stripe effects. Sizes 16 to 42. $1

Women's Smocks, Priced Of broadcloth and linen in most desired bright colors. Long sleeves, shawl collar and pockets. $1

New Millinery

$1

A brand new winter selection of lovely models developed in satin and velvet, satin and metallic, felts, etc. All the new winter shades. Large and small head sizes.

Basement Store

Girls' Lumberjacks

$1

Suede lined leatherette models. Corduroy lined collar and cuffs. Two pockets, knitted waistband. Black or tan. Sizes 8 to 15—also suitable for boys.

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Girls' Wash Dresses, 3 for Odd lots reduced for quick clearance. Many different styles; long or short sleeves; broken sizes. $1

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Wool or Linen Knickers All-wool or pure linen. Reduced for clearance. Only 96 pairs included. Odd lots; broken sizes. $1

Sheeting Muslin, 8 Yards 40-inch; extra heavy quality; unbleached. Of exceptional value at low selling price... $1

Men's Novelty Sox, 2 Prs. Silk-and-rayon mixed; famous Milwaukee make; some irregulars; all sizes; attractive patterns. $1

Misses' Fancy Hose, 2 Prs. Rayon-and-wool mixed; checks, figures and other new designs; warm weight; all sizes. $1

Women's Hose, 2 Pairs for Irregulars. Wool and cashmere and rayon and cotton mixtures; seamless styles; some full fashioned; dark and light shades. $1

Women's Silk Hosiery, Pr. Full fashioned, thread silk; chiffon in silk to the garter top; service weight, silk to welt; all perfect; all sizes; all desirable colors. $1

Men's Dress Shirts, Each Imported English broadcloths; white or colored. Also madras novelties. All have attached collars. Sizes 13½ to 17. $1

Boys' Pajamas, 2 Pairs for Warm flannelette; 1-piece suits; trimmed with fancy binding $1

Men's 'Signal' Shirts, 2 for Also other famous makes. Broken sizes. Plenty of extra sizes included $1

Men's Warm Pajamas at Warm flannelette; rayon trimmed; coat and pants style; full cut; attractive patterns; large sizes. Also madras suits. $1

Men's "Spaide" Shirts for Regular or extra sizes, 14 to 20. Khaki, blue, chambray, polka dot chambray and block sateens. Mostly coat style. $1

Boys' Lumberjacks Priced Fancy plaids; elastic bottoms; neat patterns; broken sizes; limited quantity $1

Men's Railroad Shirts at Famous "Sweet Orr" make with separate collars; full sizes; broken range $1

Men's Work Shirts, 2 for Blue chambray; triple stitch'd shoulders and yoke; double stitched fronts; sizes 14 to 17. With two pockets. $1

Boys' Union Suits, 2 for Panty waist style; random or white; strongly stayed buttons; drop seat; heavy and warm; some irregulars; all sizes. $1

Boys' Angora Sweaters at Wool, with V-neck, buttoned fronts; first quality; broken sizes; limited lot $1

400 Men's Shirts, 2 for Imported and domestic madras; fancy cords, stripes, checks; broken lots of better grades; mostly neckband styles; all clean stock. Firsts and irregulars. $1

Men's Mogador Ties, Each Also hundreds of other equally interesting makes. Extensive assortment; graduated open-end shapes. $1

Workmen's Socks, 7 Pairs Shaker knit mixed cotton—good weight; white heels and toes; dark color; warm and durable. $1

Men's Novelty Sox, 3 Pairs Seamless; reinforced heels and toes; choice of colors; all sizes $1

Men's Union Suits, Priced Slightly mussed from handling. Some are part wool; some irregulars; broken size range. $1

Men's Sweater Coats for Warm weight; V-neck style; 2 pockets; heather mixtures; sizes 36 to 44............ $1

Xtra!

70x80 Cotton Sheet Blankets

$1

Fancy Block Plaid Sheet Blankets—in rose, blue orchid, pink, grey, tan and gold soft velvet finish. Shell stitched edges. $1.

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

Drapery Madras

5 yds. $1

Splendid quality for inexpensive, but good-looking drapes. 36 inches wide. Good color selection and guaranteed washable.

Basement Store

Good Cretonnes

6 yds. $1

A splendid selection of colorful cretonnes in a wide range of light or dark color combinations. Beautiful designs, suitable for draperies, cushions, etc. 36 inches wide.

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Men's Shirts, Priced 2 at Also drawers; sateen trim'd; some irregulars. Poros knit. Sizes 34 to 50............ $1

Child's Union Suits, 4 for Drop seat. Athletic style; checked madras; well tailored—clean new stock. Sizes 2 to 10. $1

Boys' Fancy Waists, 2 for Also plain colors. Lots from better grades; soiled from handling; quantity limited. $1

Boys' Union Suits, Special Sterling make; 50% natural wool; ribbed; $1.48 grade. Sizes 20 to 34........... $1

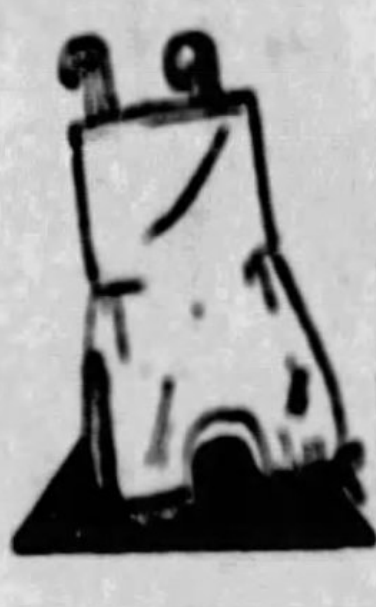
"Sealpax" Suits

2 for $1

Women's Sealpax athletic style union suits, of crossbar nainsook. Strap shoulders, hemstitched tops, button flap seats. All sizes 34 to 44. Stock-up while this saving is possible.

Basement Store

New Chemise Bloomers



$1

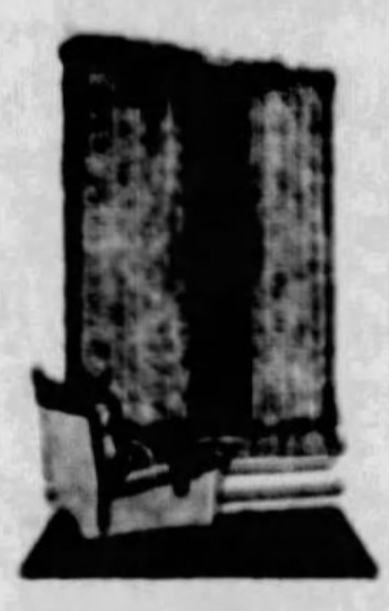
The wanted new bloomers made well of lustrous rayon in pretty pastel shades. Picot edges, ribbon tied. All regular sizes.

Basement Store

Fringe Trimming, 8 Yards Rayon Bullion; 2-inch width, popular trimming of casement curtains; ecru color... $1

36-Inch Cretonne, 4 Yards Good quality; many patterns in light and dark shades. Suitable for draperies or cushions. $1

Rayon Casement



4 yds. $1

Special purchase of heavy quality casementing, in 36-inch width. Pretty check design. In casement ecru color, 5000 yards at this very low price.

Basement Store

Tots' Dresses, Creep'rs

$1

Dresses and Creepers are hand-embroidered. Dresses in prints, voiles and dimities. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Creepers in sizes 1 to 3 years.

Basement Store

Terry Cloth, 2 Yards for A heavy reversible cretonne; printed on both sides. Bright attractive colors and designs. 36-inch. $1

Outing Flannel, 8 Yds. for Bleached flannel, double fleeced—for gowns or children's wear. 27-inch width.. $1

Striped Cretonne, 10 Yds. A woven stripe, also black design; washable. For draperies and cushions. $1

Large Huck Towels, 6 for The large size that every woman needs many of. Fancy colored borders $1

Drapery Damask, 2 yds 36-inch; attractive striped and figured patterns. The newest material for draperies. $1

Ruffled Valance now Plain or crossbar voile with colored ruffles; 2¼ yards long; rose, blue, gold ruffles. $1

Section Panel'g, 4 Sections Section 9 inches by 2½ yds. As many sections in one piece as you desire. Please bring measurements. $1

Rayon Casement, 2 Yards Make lustrous casement curtains; 36 in. wide; figured patterns in four new designs. $1

Attractive Table Scarfs at Clearance of all table scarfs from 50 to 72 inches long. Damask or rayon; many colors to choose from. $1

Figured Casement, 4 Yards Cotton or rayon of a very serviceable grade; 36-inch width; ecru shade......... $1

Plisse Shade Cloth, 4 Yds. Good quality Krinkle Kloth; for window shades; 36-inch width; washable; cream color. At this price a feature. $1

Ruffle Curtains, 2 Pairs for Plain or crossbar marquisette; neat 2-inch ruffle; tie backs. Also plain gold color ruffled curtains. $1

Window Shades, Two for Selected "seconds." Plain or duplex opaques. 36x72-inch. Light or dark green, ecru or white. Duplex styles, green and white or green and ecru. $1

36-Inch Drapery, 10 Yds. Plain solid color in green or brown. Color selection not complete explains low price.. $1

Children's Hosiery, 4 Prs. ¾ length; contrasting effect at top; splendid quality at this low price............... $1

Men's Socks, 4 Pairs for Fancy rayon mixed; attractive patterns in variety; irregulars; all sizes........... $1

Child's Fancy Hose, 2 Prs. Good quality rayon mixed; plaid designs; fancy cuff tops. Sizes 7 to 8½............. $1

Children's Hose, 3 Pairs ⅞ length; silk and rayon; irregulars. French nude, grain, white, black, peach; self-colored calf tops. $1

Turkish Bath Towels, 5 for Large size; good absorbent quality; colored stripes and borders $1

Bleached Tubing, 4 Yards 42 inches wide. Good, firm quality muslin, adaptable to many uses $1

Featherproof Tick'g, 4 Yds. 32-inch, plain and fancy art ticking. 29c and 39c grades. An exceptional value....... $1

Art Ticking, 6 Yards for 32-inch. Fancy colors. Good quality at exceptionally low price. Special at $1

Rayon Bloomer Chemises Combination chemise with bloomer bottom—very new. In all pastel shades. Sizes 38 to 44. $1

Cotton Challie, 6 Yards 36 inches wide—fancy tinted grounds—for comfort coverings and draperies $1

COMPANION FEATURES TO OUR GREAT DOLLAR DAY

Men's Suits and O'Coats

A Limited Number to Sell at

$8.85

Regular $12.00 Garments now $8.85

Light and dark patterns. Smart, wanted styles, patterns and colors. Practically every size available in some model. Come early for the choice is very limited.

Odd Lot of Boys' Coats

$2.94

Chinchilla and sheep-lined oilskin raincoats. Also three-piece suits. Broken sizes but remarkable values. About 150 garments in the lot, so early selection is advised.

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

Women's and Misses' Coats Reduced

Almost our entire stock of better Winter Coats, priced very low originally, now reduced for rapid disposal. And what woman that needs a new coat can resist such an offering?

Special Coat Group at

$16.85

Coats lavishly trimmed with furs—fur fronts, fur borders, fur collars—shawl collar styles—deep fur cuffs. Tailored of suede, velour, bolivias, etc.—many silk lined. Sizes 14 to 52.

Special Coat Group at

$28.85

Our better grade coats that sold at far higher prices. Trimmed in carefully selected furs including wolf, fox, dyed coney, squirrel, manchurian wolf. In venise, estrella, jewel point and broadcloth. All silk lined. Sizes 14 to 52½.

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

Lot of Room Rugs

$16.84

Excellent grouping of quality rugs in small, medium and allover designs. Also Chinese and Persian effects. Sizes listed below:

6x9 Axminster Rugs
7.6x9 Seamless Wilton Velvets
8.3x10.6 Axminster Rugs
9x12 Seamless Wilton Velvets
11.3x12 Seamless Brussels Rugs

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

Wonderful Savings in Fur Coats

You can now have your heart's desire—a beautiful fur coat—at low prices that will astonish you. The qualities are unusually good and the styling of the newest mode.

Krimmer Caracul, Kid Ermine (with squirrel trimming), black and white Calf, Raccoon, Opossum, Kid Caracul and Black Pony. Various models, choice at **$59.50**

Northern Seal, Caracul Paw, Leopard, Brown Squirrelette, beautifully lined. Choice of many models at **$79.50**

Brown Pony with red fox collar and cuffs. Eastern Mink with self collar and cuffs, Beach Pony with leopard fox trimming, Leopard Cat and Black Pony — lined in beautiful fabrics. Choice at **$99.50**

K. & B. Co.—Basement Store.

GIMBEL BROTHERS

Fled Legion

Photo by International Newsreel.

MAJ. GILBERT THACKER

Another who broke from the ranks of the French Foreign Legion, like Bennett J. Doty, and escaped where Doty failed, was Maj. Gilbert Wansborough Thacker, M. C. (above), an Englishman. He was smuggled aboard a Greek steamer at Algiers. Maj. Thacker says conditions in the Legion are almost unbelievable.

BANK ROBBERS COW ELEVEN, GET $25,000

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Two unmasked youthful robbers held up the Peoples Bank here about 9 o'clock today and escaped with approximately $25,000 in silver and currency.

At the point of guns the pair demanded that the eight employes of the bank, including Vice President Julius Seifert, lie down behind the counter. Three customers who entered the bank during the holdup were also forced to lie down, while the men grabbed up the money.

One of these, a Salvation Army man, was struck over the head and knocked unconscious when he refused to comply.

After scooping up the money the pair jumped into their car, which was parked in the alley behind the bank, and fled.

ORPHANS' HOME LEFT $25,000

SOMERSET, Pa., Dec. 27.—The St. Paul's Orphans' Home at Greenville, Pa., is bequeathed the residue of the estate of Mrs. Catherine M. Ware of Berlin, this county, in her will, the amount of the residue being estimated at from $25,000 to $40,000.

Other bequests included $3,000 to Trinity Reformed Church of Berlin for founding a lectureship in the name of John O. Stoner and Elizabeth W. Stoner, her benefactors; $1,000 for maintenance of the Reformed Cemetery at Berlin, $2,000 to Berlin fire department, $2,000 to Somerset County Children's Aid Society, $2,000 to Berlin borough school board.

ROME IS NORMAL AFTER QUAKE

ROME, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Rome returned to normal today after a Christmas earthquake which caused considerable excitement but little damage.

The cornice of a church broke off during the tremors, which lasted four minutes, injuring a Brazilian who was passing by. He was treated for minor injuries. Ceilings of several houses fell and a fissure was opened up in a populous quarter.

The shock was felt distinctly at a football game in the Appian Velodrome. Officials quieted the half panic-stricken fans and prevented a threatened stampede.

C. H. ZEHNDER, IRON MAKER, CAPITALIST, DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Charles Henry Zehnder, Pennsylvania manufacturer, coal operator and capitalist, died last night after an extended illness, aged 71. Burial will be in Berwick, Pa., where he formerly resided.

Zehnder was born in Northumberland, Pa. He was president of the Mount Hope Mineral Railroad Company, vice president of the Arkansas Valley Beet Sugar and Irrigated Land Company and a director of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, the Empire Trust Company, the Scranton Bolt and Nut Company, the Warren Foundry and Pipe Company and the Replogle Steel Company.

WHISKY BILL BRINGS ARREST OF WOMAN

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 27.—A bill for liquor resulted in the arrest of Rose Hasek of Ritcheyville. William Henderson sued George Hasek for $93 in wages and Mrs. Hasek insisted on a deduction for the whisky bill. Constable C. W. Hamilton then raided the house and found a quantity of liquor concealed in a baby's bed, and arrested Mrs. Hasek. She was released on bail.

CHILD SWALLOWS GIFT BALLOON, STRANGLES

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 27.—A Christmas gift resulted in the death of Joseph Thomas, 8, in his home at Portage, near here. The lad swallowed a toy balloon, which lodged in his windpipe and strangled him.

Joseph Horne Co

Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.

After Christmas Sales

A Holiday Offering of

Girls' Lovely Imported Dresses

At Special Prices

THESE dainty frocks come from abroad, where chic styling is an art. They are made entirely by hand, showing deft needlework throughout, and especially to be noted are the colorful little touches of embroidery, drawn-work, pipings and pleatings. Sizes for Junior and Senior girls . . . 6 to 14 years.

Of Linen $3.45

Nine girlish styles, with either long or short sleeves. Yellow, tan, copen blue, orange, green, mulberry, rose or white. They are very unusual frocks for this price.

Of Silk $9.85

Seven pretty models in crepe de chine; long or short sleeves. Beautifully embroidered . . . many with drawnwork. Nile green, copen blue, orchid, coral, light blue, pink or beige.

—Horne's, Third Floor—

Books

Non-fiction on many different subjects; covers soiled, torn, or mussed in some cases, Now 10c to $1.00.

Novels, 35c

A miscellaneous collection including some late fiction.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Toiletries

½ off: Odds and ends of perfumes, glass powder bowls powder puffs, compacts, vanities.

⅓ off: Odds and ends of atomizers, dresser sets, military and club brush sets, boudoir clocks.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Sweaters

Women's and Misses' Slip-on Sweaters of zephyr yarn, with various necklines, also medium weight slip-ons, $5.75

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Blouses

Tailored and Semi-dressy Blouses of crepe de chine, georgette and satin, in white, black, navy, and other staple colorings, $5.00.

Blouses of crepe de chine, satin, georgette and velveteen, tailored and dressy models, $10.00.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

PRICE inducements of most extraordinary nature are the order of the day in these events . . . . articles of gift nature, and especially in apparel for women, misses, junior-misses, girls and boys.

Gift Merchandise ½, ⅓, ¼ Off

FROM gift season assortments . . . some show signs of handling . . . some but few of a kind . . . but all at prices to move them quickly!

Millinery

Felt and Velvet Hats, sports and tailored types for women and misses, in large anad small head sizes, $3.75.

Gold and Silver Metal Cloth Hats, turban styles, medium head sizes, $2.00.

Hats from higher priced lines, a varied group, at half-price and less.

—Horne's, Fourth Floor—

'Kerchiefs ½, ⅓, ¼ Off

Men's, Women's, Children's . . . plain white staple numbers . . . colored novelties . . . plain, bordered, embroidered, initialed . . . Thousands of handkerchiefs . . . Buy them by the dozens . . . Now, at emphatic savings.

—Horne's, Main Floor—

Electrified Atwater Kent Radio in Cabinet

Special at $135.00

Atwater Kent "35" in handsome console cabinet, walnut-veneered, with lovely burled panels in front, and with Utah de-luxe speaker built-in. Electrified through the Philco A-B socket power unit, which switches on and off from the set, and complete with "C" battery, all tubes, and aerial equipment—everything necessary. Installation and one year's service included.

Convenient Payments

—Horne's, Balcony—

Mark-Down Sale of Boys' Suits and Overcoats

$12.00 $14.00 $16.00 $20.00

SUITS—fancy-mixed woolens. Four-piece models, coat, vest and two pairs of golf knickers. Sizes 7 to 16 years.

OVERCOATS of fancy-mixed materials, size 11 to 17.

SMALL BOYS' OVERCOATS — sizes 3 to 10 years.

All Horne quality clothing, excellently tailored of dependable materials. This is one of the few occasions on which this clothing is sold at less than regular prices.

Bring the boys in tomorrow.

—Horne's, Boys' Store, Third Floor—

Coats Marked Down

Women's *Wear Weave* Coats for travel and general service, of imported and domestic fabrics, with fur collars, at $55.00 and $85.00.

Women's Dressy Coats of suede-finished and flat-surfaced cloths, trimmed with beaver, fox, wolf and caracul, $65.00.

Women's Dressy Coats, fine ones in black and brown tones, trimmed with various furs, $95.00.

Women's Fine Coats, some of the handsomest ones remaining in our stocks, richly fur-trimmed, regular, large and small women's sizes, $150.00.

Misses' Coats of soft, camel's hair fabrics, trimmed with squirrel lock, also some with beaver collars, $45.00.

Misses' Dressy Coats of suede-finished cloths and velveteen, odd lots, all fur-trimmed, $65.00.

Misses' Dressy Coats of fine malina cloth, and of imported bokhara, trimmed with wolf, caracul and fox, $85.00.

Misses' Fine Coats of the season's richest fabrics, trimmed with fine furs, mostly one of a kind, $135.00.

Junior-Misses' Sports-type and Dressy Coats, trimmed with fur, sizes 13 to 17, now $39.50.

Junior-Misses' Dressy Coats with collars and cuffs of wolf, skunk, Jap fox and beaver, $49.50.

Junior-Misses' Dressy Coats trimmed with beaver, wolf, skunk and ringtail, $79.50.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Bed Spreads

Spreads of cotton, damask, rayon and other materials, a variety of styles, broken in size and color ranges during holiday selling, $1.00 to $10.00.

White and plaid blankets mussed or soiled from being displayed, $2.00 to $25.00.

—Horne's, Fourth Floor—

Tables of Toys ½ Price

DOZENS of them . . . in practically all types . . . an opportunity to add many happy hours of playtime at little prices . . . while quantities last.

—Horne's, Seventh Floor—

A Presentation At Special Prices

Fine Mink Coats

PERHAPS the most impressive collection of fine Mink Coats and Wraps that has ever been presented to Pittsburgh.

These garments are distinguished by superb beauty, in pelt and in lines, in their rich colorings, and in their quality.

Garments for both women and misses are included, featured at two outstanding prices—

$1475.00 and $2175.00

Also, there is a number of individual models at equally special figures, ranging from $2475.00 to $3775.00.

Other Fur Coats at after-Christmas prices—$185.00, $295.00, and $450.00.

—Horne's, Second Floor—

Dresses Reduced

Fashion-Thrift Dresses of wool jersey in tan, rose, green and navy blue, women's and misses' sizes, $6.75.

Fashion-Thrift Dresses of flat crepe and georgette, also some of jersey and other cloths, women's and misses' sizes, $12.75.

Women's Tailor-Type Dresses of novelty silk crepes, wool reps, tweeds, crepe satin, and georgette, $12.75.

Women's Tailor-type Dresses of georgette, crepe de chine, Canton crepe, satin, wool jersey, wool crepe, novelty tweeds and velvet, $19.75.

Large and Small Women's Dresses of georgette and flat crepe, in brown, cocoa and navy blue, $12.75.

Large and Small Women's Dresses, street and afternoon types of georgette, satin and flat crepe, $19.75.

Large and Small Women's Dresses of satin, crepes, and georgette-and-velvet combined, $29.50.

Women's Dresses, daytime dresses of crepe satin, georgette, and crepe-with-velvet, and evening gowns of chiffon and beaded and plain crepe, $25.00.

Women's Fine Dresses, afternoon models of silk crepe, crepe satin, brocaded crepe, and georgette-and-velvet combined, and chiffon and beaded evening dresses, $45.00.

Women's Dresses of velvet and velvet-and-georgette combined, afternoon, dinner and evening models for formal and informal wear, at half-price.

Misses' Sports and Dressy Frocks of georgette, Canton crepe, velvet, novelty woolens and jersey, odd lots, $12.75.

Misses' Afternoon and Tailored Dresses of silk crepe, novelty woolens, georgette and velvet-trimmed crepes, and evening dresses of chiffon and velvet, $25.00.

Misses' Dresses, odd lots of very smart and unusual ones of transparent velvet, satin, velvet-with-crepe, and a few of georgette, $39.50.

Junior-Misses' Dresses of silk crepe and wool jersey, sizes 13 to 17, $12.75.

Junior-Misses' Afternoon Dresses of georgette, chiffon and silk crepe, and Evening Frocks of chiffon, georgette and some of velvet, $19.75.

Sportswear Shop Dresses—odd lots, women's and misses' models, of wool crepes, jerseys, and a few knitted ones, $15.00.

Sportswear Shop Dresses of crepe ballerine, wool crepe and silks, also a few knitted outfits—women's and misses' models, $19.75.

—Horne's, Second and Third Floors—

TUESDAY'S RADIO PROGRAM

EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

LOCAL

12:00 NOON.

KDKA (316)—Markets, weather.
WJAS (270)—St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church service.

12:15 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Music.

12:45 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Pathephonic period.

1:35 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Columbia records.

3:45 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Song hits.

4:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, weather, markets.
WCAE (461)—Orthophonic period.
KQV (270)—Phonovox music.

5:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, markets.
WCAE (461)—Children's period.
WCAE (461) — Waldorf - Astoria music.
KQV (270)—Popular numbers.

6:30 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Little Symphony.

7:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Sacred song concert.
WCAE (461)—Music.
WJAS (270)—Kiddie Kapers.

8:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Stromberg - Carlson hour.
WCAE (461)—Seiberling concert.
WJAS (270)—Sport review.

8:10 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Wallisch Sisters.

8:30 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Sealy Air-Weavers.
WJAS (270)—Seven Bachelors.

9:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Continentals.
WCAE (461)—Eveready hour.

9:30 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Soprano; tenor.

10:00 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Alexander's Ragtime Band.
WCAE (461)—Bridge instructions.

10:15 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Music.

10:30 P. M.

KDKA (316)—Time, weather.
WCAE (461)—Orchestra.

10:45 P. M.

WJAS (270)—Movie review, Vaudeville acts.

11:00 P. M.

WCAE (461)—Time, Organ recital.

OUTSIDE PITTSBURGH

6:00 P. M.

WEAF (492) **New York**—Waldorf dinner music.
WGN (416) **Chicago**—Organ.
KMA (395) **Shenandoah** — Corn Husker trio.

6:10 P. M.

WBZ (333) **Boston**—Dolan's orchestra.

6:15 P. M.

WCCO (405) **Minn.-St. Paul**—Children's hour.
WOR (422) **Newark**—Shelton ensemble.

6:30 P. M.

WJR-WCX (441) **Detroit**—Goldkette's ensemble.
WCAU (261) **Philadelphia**—Pennsylvania orchestra.
WGY (380) **Schenectady**—Ten Eyck orchestra.

6:45 P. M.

WOC (373) **Davenport**—Chimes.

7:00 P. M.

WWNC (297) **Asheville**—Dinner music.
WJZ (454) **New York**—Time; dog talk; soprano.
WJR-WCX (441) **Detroit** — Orchestra; business fundamentals.
WOW (508) **Omaha**—Studio.
WGHP (278) **Detroit**—Lady Moon; organ.
WCAU (261) **Philadelphia**—Piccadilly orchestra.
WJAX (337) **Jacksonville**—Dinner orchestra.
WEAF (492) **New York**—Ukulele, banjo, xylophone.
WSB (476) **Atlanta**—Metropolitan orchestra.
WHN (353) **New York**—Iceland orchestra.

7:15 P. M.

KTHS (384) **Hot Springs** — Personality sketches.
WEAF (492) **New York** — "Bagging a Tiger."

7:30 P. M.

WJZ (454) **New York** — Travelogue—"South America."
WSUN (517) **St. Petersburg**—Serene dinner music.
WCCO (405) **Minn.-St. Paul**—F and R family.
WJR-WCX (441) **Detroit**—"The Dreamers."
WOW (508) **Omaha** — Royal Fontenelle orchestra.
WJAX (337) **Jacksonville**—Male quartet; poultry talk.
KYW (526) **Chicago** — Congress dinner concert.
WEAF (492) **New York**—National Musicalities.
WGY (380) **Schenectady**—Studio.
WOR (422) **Newark**—Dinner dance.

7:45 P. M.

WSM (337) **Nashville**—Jackson orchestra.

8:00 P. M.

WJZ (454) **New York**—Stromberg-Carlson hour.

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WOMAN AIDE TO DUCE

MARGHERITA SARVATI

Margherita is one of Mussolini's most active and able helpers. She co-operated with the dictator in founding the newpaper, "Popolo d'Italia." Photo was taken in Berlin where she is visiting.

WBBM (389) **Chicago**—Trio; Terrace Garden, Johnstone's orchestras.
WDOD (244) **Chattanooga** — Patten ensemble.
WCAU (261) **Philadelphia**—Blind gospel singer.
WJAZ (263) **Chicago**—Chez Pierre orchestra.
WLS (345) **Chicago**—Scrap book; orchestra; Ford and Glenn.
WEAF (492) **New York**—Seiberling singers.
KMA (395) **Shenandoah**—String trio.
WOR (422) **Newark**—Chimes; New York University.

8:30 P. M.

KOA (326) **Denver**—Brown Palace orchestra.
WCCO (405) **Minn.-St. Paul** — Southern Sunshine.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Dragon Hawaiians.
WDOD (244) **Chattanooga**—Studio.
WOW (508) **Omaha**—Lacy's half hour.
KFAB (319) **Lincoln** — University of Nebraska program.
WLS (345) **Chicago** — "Personalities in Music."
WEAF (492) **New York**—Air Weavers.
WLIB (416) **Chicago**—Song recital.
WHO (535) **Des Moines**—Little symphony.

8:45 P. M.

WABC (349) **New York**—Tenor; Beaux Arts orchestra.

9:00 P. M.

WPG (273) **Atlantic City**—Concert music.
WJZ (454) **New York**—Continentals.
WMAQ (447) **Chicago** — Orchestra, soprano, Christmas program.
WCBD (345) **Zion**—Male quartet, organ, trio.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Piano moods; music chat.
WJR-WCX (441) **Detroit**—Manuel girls.
WDOD (244) **Chattanooga**—Classical.
WJAX (337) **Jacksonville**—Studio; dance orchestra.
WBZ (333) **Boston**—Violinist.
WEAF (492) **New York**—Eveready hour.
WOR (422) **Newark**—Choir invisible.

9:30 P. M.

KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Edmunds Colleglans.
KTHS (384) **Hot Springs**—Baptist Church choir.
WCAU (261) **Philadelphia**—Radioliers.
WHO (535) **Des Moines**—Agitators.

10:00 P. M.

WJZ (454) **New York**—Alexander's Ragtime band.
WSUN (517) **St. Petersburg**—Dance orchestra.
WBBM (389) **Chicago**—Collegiate hour.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Fire Department orchestra.
WJR-WCX (441) **Detroit** — Red Apple Club.
WCAU (261) **Philadelphia**—Thermo twins; humming girl.
WJAZ (263) **Chicago**—Chez Pierre orchestra.
KYW (526) **Chicago**—Congress carnival.
WRNY (326) **New York**—Orchestra.
WABC (349) **New York**—Waldorf orchestra.

10:30 P. M.

WPG (273) **Atlantic City** — Christmas music.
WJZ (454) **New York**—Jazz Zither.
KOA (326) **Denver**—Dan's musical dons.
WCCO (405) **Minn.-St. Paul**—Trustodians.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Ballad singer, pianist.
KTHS (384) **Hot Springs**—Arlington dance frolic.
WWJ (353) **Detroit**—Statler dance orchestra.
WSM (337) **Nashville**—Tenor, baritone.
WOC (373) **Davenport**—Music.
WEAF (492) **New York**—Palais D'Or orchestra.
WDAF (370) **Kansas City**—Serenade.
WGN (416) **Chicago**—Phantom violin.
WBBM (389) **Chicago**—Supper Club orchestra.
WMAQ (447) **Chicago**—Stevens orchestra (WQJ).
WLW (428) **Cincinnati**—Orchestra.
WIP (349) **Philadelphia**—Dance orchestra.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Mezzo soprano.
WHAM (260) **Rochester** — News; "The Homesteaders."
WOR (422) **Newark**—Premier dance orchestra.

11:00 P. M.

WPG (273) **Atlantic City**—Orchestra.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Bridge.
WSAI (361) **Cincinnati**—Dance orchestra.
KYW (526) **Chicago**—Hamp's serenaders.
WGR (303) **Buffalo**—Lafayette frolics.
WEAF (492) **New York**—Hofbrau orchestra.

11:30 P. M.

WGN (416) **Chicago**—Salernos.

11:45 P. M.

WSB (476) **Atlanta**—Concert.

12:00 MIDNIGHT.

WJAY (227) **Cleveland**—Night Owls.
KFI (469) **Los Angeles**—Eveready hour.
WLIB (416) **Chicago**—Hoodlums.

12:45 A. M.

WDAF (370) **Kansas City** — Nighthawk frolic.

1:00 A. M.

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1:10 A. M.

WLIB (416) **Chicago**—Opera Club orchestra.

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Girls' Coats, $5.97
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Girls' Coats, $3.97
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For misses and children — lumberjacks, crickets and coat styles. All sizes. Basement.

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Underwear, 59c
Values to $1.25. Women's and children's union suits. Assorted styles. All sizes.
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BARE DEALS IN MEXICAN DOCUMENTS

(Continued from Page One.)

ments to the Hearst papers, once tried to sell him a confidential file of correspondence between Secretary of State Kellogg and Ambassador James R. Sheffield for $10,000.

McLaughlin said he knew Avila very well, having met him first in 1924 through Joseph DeCourcy, Mexico City correspondent for the New York Times, who introduced him as a representative of the Havas News Agency. McLaughlin had an article he wished to have published in Europe, and gave it to Avila, he said.

"TRAFFIC IN DOCUMENTS"

There is a regular "traffic in documents" in Mexico, McLaughlin said. For a price, he declared, "you can get any kind of document you want."

"Avila was notorious in Mexico as a purveyor of these documents," the witness said. "I know that of my own personal knowledge.

"Avila came up to my apartment one night in 1926 on a very important matter. I had two friends there, so I told him to come around the next day. He insisted on seeing me at once.

"Avila showed me a typewritten statement saying that all the correspondence between Secretary of State Kellogg and Ambassador Sheffield would be given me for $13,630, of which $1,000 would be given me by Mr. Lane, first secretary of the embassy in Mexico City."

"Was my name signed to that statement?"

"No, but I understood that Mr. Lane was downstairs at that time in an automobile, waiting to carry out the deal.

"He asked me if I wouldn't come downstairs and see Mr. Lane, who he said was in the automobile, and I refused. The thing was so absurd. I told one of my guests, H. D. Sawyer about it.

"The next day Avila brought two photostatic copies of the same document to me and left them," said McLaughlin. "I communicated with Irby E. Swift, Avila's former chief, next day and told him about it. Avila afterwards called on me, and told me I had gotten him into a terrible lot of trouble by telling Swift about the document."

OFFERED DOCUMENTS

On another occasion, McLaughlin said that Avila came to him with a copy of a telegram supposed to have been sent by Gen. Pina, under secretary of war, to the commander of a Mexican gunboat, ordering him to come to Mexico City and load up with arms and ammunition for delivery to the rebels in Nicaragua. McLaughlin added that he did not buy the document.

"Why did he bring it to you?"

"I don't know, unless he thought I would turn it over to the American embassy."

"Did he ask for money?"

"No. Avila's method was unique," said McLaughlin. "He simply showed you a single copy of a document. Then he came around with a photostat. He would not bring an original. He was always broke and always asking for a few pesos."

"Can you cast any light on the genuineness of these (Hearst) documents?" asked Senator Reed of Pennsylvania.

"No, I can't," said McLaughlin. "I went over the documents as they appeared in the press. I noticed the usual number of errors in the grammar and punctuation."

"What do you mean by 'usual number of errors'?"

"I mean I saw the errors in the documents which were pointed out latter," the witness replied.

QUIZZED ON OIL ARTICLE

Senator Johnson, Republican, of California, questioned McLaughlin closely about details of McLaughlin's article on oil, which he had sought to have distributed to European newspapers through the Havas Agency.

"It was a personal article," he said. "It showed the gradual decline of oil production, despite the increase in drilling, and showed that the old pioneer oil fields in Mexico were playing out and drilling must be extended into new fields."

"Did the Mexican government approve the article?" asked Johnson.

"No, Senator, it wasn't submitted that way. I did not ask for approval—but the facts later proved the article was correct."

Johnson's further questioning brought out the fact that McLaughlin has had a number of contracts with the Mexican government, and even now is negotiating over a new one involving $100,000,000 for building roads, the cost to be borne by a gasoline tax. Negotiations are being carried on, he said, with President Calles and the Mexican department of public works.

Another contract, Johnson developed by questions, involved a huge sugar cane deal which fell through because McLaughlin could not raise $12,000,000 necessary to swing it.

McLaughlin said that in the typewritten statement, which Avila showed him, the word "ambassador" was misspelled and several punctuation marks misplaced. He couldn't give the statement in any detail.

DIDN'T TAKE IT SERIOUSLY

"I didn't take it seriously," said McLaughlin. "I looked on it merely as some more of Avila's home-brew."

"What reason did Avila give that he would come to you with this offer?"

"Only that I was an American and friendly with the officials of the Mexican government."

Would persons trying to sell documents naturally come to you, because of your relations with the Mexican government?"

"That would be what an individual like Avila and his type, who traffic in illicit documents, would do," the witness declared. "I am a contractor and they know it."

McLaughlin repeated that Avila gave him two copies of the statement the next day. It was revealed then that the committee had issued subpenaes for both copies, one of which is in the witness' files in Mexico City and the other in the possession of E. E. Swift, Sinclair oil representative, in Mexico City.

"Did you refuse Avila's offer?" Johnson asked.

"Yes," said McLaughlin.

"Did you ever meet Lane?"

"No, Avila said Lane was down outside my house in an automobile. He said he would take me down and introduce me to Lane. That was to take place before I would pay over the $1,000. I didn't go. I wouldn't have anything to do with it."

McLaughlin said it was the next day that Avila brought two copies of the offer to his house.

"Why did you take one copy to Swift?"

"Swift was a former Department of Justice agent on the Texas border," said the witness. "He was Avila's chief when Avila was in the American government's service on the border. Swift was in touch with the American embassy and I was not. I put it up to Swift to let the American embassy know about the affair."

TESTIFIES VOLUNTARILY

McLaughlin said he read the Hearst articles and decided "voluntarily to testify."

"What makes you say these documents looked fraudulent when you only saw two papers handled by Avila?" asked Reed.

"Those two are the only ones I recall in detail," said the witness. "I saw 20 or 30 documents that Avilla was trying to peddle. I don't recall any of them now."

McLaughlin said he last saw Avila in the Mexican consulate in New York several months ago.

"Avila was talking to a man named Haierman," the witness added. "He told me to get in the market on Mexican bonds as there was going to be a big expose and the Mexican bond market would go down."

The committee then adjourned until 10:30 on Wednesday, January 4.

Attorney Dies

S. S. ROBERTSON

Widely known as a corporation lawyer and business man, Mr. Robertson's death from pneumonia in Oklahoma City, where he had gone on a business mission, was a shock to his friends, here. He was 69 and resided at 312 South Braddock avenue.

SEMINARY STUDENT HERE CALLED TO PASTORATE

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 27.—Glenn Stephens, of Indiana, Pa., student at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, has been called to the pastorate of the Mount Prospect United Presbyterian Church, at Thomas, near here. He will be ordained a minister next spring.

McGovern "Pulls Fast One" in Taking Oath

County Controller Charles C. McGovern "pulled a fast one" on his friends when he decided to take his oath of office, as County Commissioner December 19. While presenting his bond of $10,000 to Judges James H. Gray and Frank I. Gollmar, Common Pleas Court, December 19 for certification, the Controller decided to kill two birds with the same stone and take the oath as commissioner. Controller McGovern for the first time today disclosed that he is a County Commissioner and a County Controller at the same time.

County Commissioners Joseph G. Armstrong and E. V. Babcock will take their oaths Saturday morning, December 31. Judge John A. Evans, Common Pleas Court, will administer the oath. The reorganization of the board of commissioners probably will be held next Tuesday morning.

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A—With Coupon Only—

$3 Southern Blankets 2.57 Pr.
Extra large bed size, 70x80 inches, plain grey, tan or pretty block plaids.
Second Floor.
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Men's Raincoats 5.94
Leatherette, black with tan suede lining, heavy weight, 34 to 44. Usually sold at $7.50.
Fourth Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

$2.50 Ruffled Curtains 1.69
Fine sheer Voile, in cream with blue, rose and gold ruffles, some floral designs.
Sixth Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

$2.50 Umbrellas 1.79
For Men and Women. Appropriate handles with strictly waterproof coverings.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's $3 Silk Scarfs 1.83
Fine Eagle Crepe, all perfect and new, in white with beautiful contrasting colors.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Women's Dress Slips 1.69
Celanese, a fine material with silk finish, in assorted light and dark shades, sizes 36 to 44. Regularly $1.98.
Second Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Women's $1.50 Gloves 1.29 Pr.
Two clasp double silk suede [illegible] novelty gloves, pull-on duplex fabric gloves, wanted colors.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's Handkerchiefs 7c Each
Fine Cambric, with colored woven borders, with hemstitched hems, some seconds. 10c to 15c values.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's Shirts 1.29
Soiled from display, regular $1.95 to $2.50 values. Fine Broadcloths and Madras, sizes 14 to 17.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Silk and Wool Stockings 89c Pair
Also two toned sport stockings, in colors and black. Regular $1.19 value. With coupon only.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Women's Neckwear 82c
Lace, linen and satin, in white, ecru and flesh shades, various styles. $1.25 value.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's $2.50 Pajamas 1.79
Best grade heavy flannelette, military or V neck, rayon loop trimmed, all sizes.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's Trousers 1.79
For working wear, dark colors in worsted finish materials, 28 to 42 waists, free pair if seams rip.
Fourth Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Stamped Pillow Cases 69c Pair
Snow white tubing, 42 inches wide, scalloped and hemstitched, new patterns.
Sixth Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

$2.39 Flat Silk Crepe 1.98 Yd.
Very fine quality, beautiful finish, 39 inches wide, new shades, or black and white.
Second Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Utility Bags 87c
Superior grade art ticking, 4 shoe pockets, 2 for toilets, and stockings and large laundry pockets. $1.50 value.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Window Shades 39c Each
Opaque in green white and buff, 36 to 38 inches wide, 6 feet long, seconds, complete with fixtures.
Sixth Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Radium Dial Alarm Clocks 1.63
Show time in the dark, guaranteed Gilbert make. Formerly $2.19. Not delivered.
Main Floor.
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19c Linen Weft Toweling 5 Yds. 73c
Excellent for hard wear, very absorbent, red or blue border. Limit 10 yards to a customer.
Second Floor.
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Women's Unionsuits 1.19
Fleeced, with high or Dutch neck, long or elbow sleeves, ankle length, sizes 36 to 44. Regularly $1.50.
Second Floor.
AA—With Coupon Only—

Women's Handkerchiefs 6 for 32c
Pure linen, [illegible] with small hem; also sheer cotton handkerchiefs. 8c to 10c values.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Toilet Paper 10 Rolls 79c
[illegible] 2 for 15c size and quality.
Main Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Men's Sweaters 79c
Brown working sweaters, in sizes 36 to 42, good heavy quality, $1.50 and $1.25 values.
Basement.
A—With Coupon Only—

$2.50 Pce. Long Cloth 1.59 Pce.
Extra fine grade, 36 inches wide, glove finish, 10 yards in each piece.
Second Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Infants' Blankets 1.69
Pink and blue floral patterns, also solid white, 30x30 inches. Regularly $1.95.
Second Floor.
A—With Coupon Only—

Table Cloths 1.04 Ea.
Neatly hemstitched table cloths, made from best grade damask, [illegible] inch size, $1.25 value.
Second Floor.
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$16.50 Mattress 12.95
New felt laid in layers 55 lbs., upholstered with heavy grade art ticking, 4 row Imperial edge.
Seventh Floor.
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$3.79 to $4.50 Lamp Bases 2.79
Polychrome or Metal lamp bases, in all latest designs, with pull chain sockets.
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Congoleum Nairn floor covering, two yards wide, 6 beautiful tile patterns, any length cut.
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Radio Tubes 39c Each
Type U X 201 A for storage battery and 199 for dry cells, tested and guaranteed. Limit 5.
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Large selection, suitable for any room, sold only with decorations to match.
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Men's 2 Pant Suits 14.94
Sturdy woolen materials, medium and dark colors, extra pants for double service. Save a third.
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$31.50 Brussels Rugs 21.45
Extra size 11¼x12 feet, all wool wearing surface, fast colors Oriental patterns.
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Surplus stocks and broken lines—to be sold at decidedly lower prices! Make your Christmas money buy double the amount it would before. Broken lots and assorted lines of the goods mentioned below—

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Hundreds Gift Novelties
Lamps and Shades
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MME. GRAZIA DELEDDA

A 54-year-old Italian woman, Mme. Grazia Deledda, has been awarded the 1927 Nobel prize in literature, presented at Stockholm, Sweden. Her best-known novel is "La Madre."

TIED, LEFT TO FATE, WOMAN FOUND DEAD

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Discovery of the body of an unidentified woman, securely trussed with canvas and binging twine, near Mulholland street, San Fernando, today provided a mystery for police.

The woman, found yesterday, apparently had been dead about 20 hours. The hands had been securely tied across the breast and the legs drawn up behind and held with twine. A bruise evidently from a blow on the forehead was noticed by police, who, however, doubted that the woman was killed by being struck. Officers believed that she had been stunned, tied up and left to die of exposure.

Dr. Webb, assistant county autopsy surgeon, found evidences that the woman had been drinking and an autopsy was ordered to determine if she had been poisoned.

MAN PERISHES IN BLAZE

WASHINGTON, Pa. Dec. 27.—George Alfred Bates, 58, who lived alone in a small dwelling on the outskirts of Finleyville, 16 miles east of here, was burned to death when the building caught fire.

Bates was not believed to be in the structure and that he had been burned to death was not known until charred portions of his body were found. Bates was a blacksmith and had spent his life in the Finleyville district. His father, William Bates, resides at Youngstown, O., with his daughter, Mrs. Blanche Dinkle. A brother also lives at Youngstown.

FOUR SHOT OVER CHRISTMAS

By International News Service.

VANDERGRIFT, Pa., Dec. 27.—Shot by his wife Christmas night, Fritz Andring, 22, will recover, doctors announced today.

According to Mrs. Andring, her husband appeared at her home here with a revolver. She tussled for possession of the gun. In the melee the revolver was discharged.

In another gun battle here Christmas night over a woman, Ed Pelt, 32, is dying today and Bob Davis, 32, and Hosie Scott, 28, are pronounced out of danger from bullet wounds. All are Negroes.

CHICAGO YELLOW CAB HEAD KILLED IN FALL

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Charles W. Gray, wealthy president of the Yellow Cab Company, was killed by a fall from his horse Sunday while riding on the bridle paths of Lincoln Park.

Gray had dropped several hundred yards behind Alton M. Hutel, treasurer of the company, and Robert Berg, his brother-in-law, when the fact that he was not riding abreast with them was discovered.

Hutel turned and galloped back to find Gray lying beside his horse on the bridle path. The saddle had slipped, apparently, throwing Gray, a large, heavy man, under the horse's hoofs.

Gray was an important figure in the local transportation field, having risen, after an unsuccessful business career, from the ranks of the cab drivers to the presidency of the cab company.

ATTACK OF MALARIA DELAYS GERMAN FLIGHT

ALLAHABAD, India, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Lieut. Otto Koennecke, German aviator, who arrived at Etawah last month while flying from Karachi to Allahabad, en route to the United States by way of the Orient, has been delayed here because of an attack of malaria.

The German aviator hopes to continue his flight in about two weeks.

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It is the story of Adam Gimbel, the merchant, his vision compensated in a modest store of his own in old Vincennes. Of the dawn of the modern business era in this new store that dared to mark prices on merchandise and ask the one price of all. Of the first business enterprise on record conceived in the idea of serving and satisfying its customers.

It is the story of Adam Gimbel, the father, imbuing the seven sons that came into his home and store with the spirit of his business practices.

Perhaps Adam Gimbel dreamed of the day when the name Gimbel would emblazon the sky in America's principal cities. Perhaps he thought of the time when Gimbel would rise from a name to become an institution. We do not know.

But this we know. That his was the Idea . . . the tradition-defying practice of putting the customer's interests first. That in less than a century this Gimbel Idea has spread from Vincennes to the great cities of the country. That the Gimbel story is retold a million times each day in the romance of things sold and people satisfied. And that Pittsburgh eagerly awaits the fulfillment here of the Gimbel Idea.

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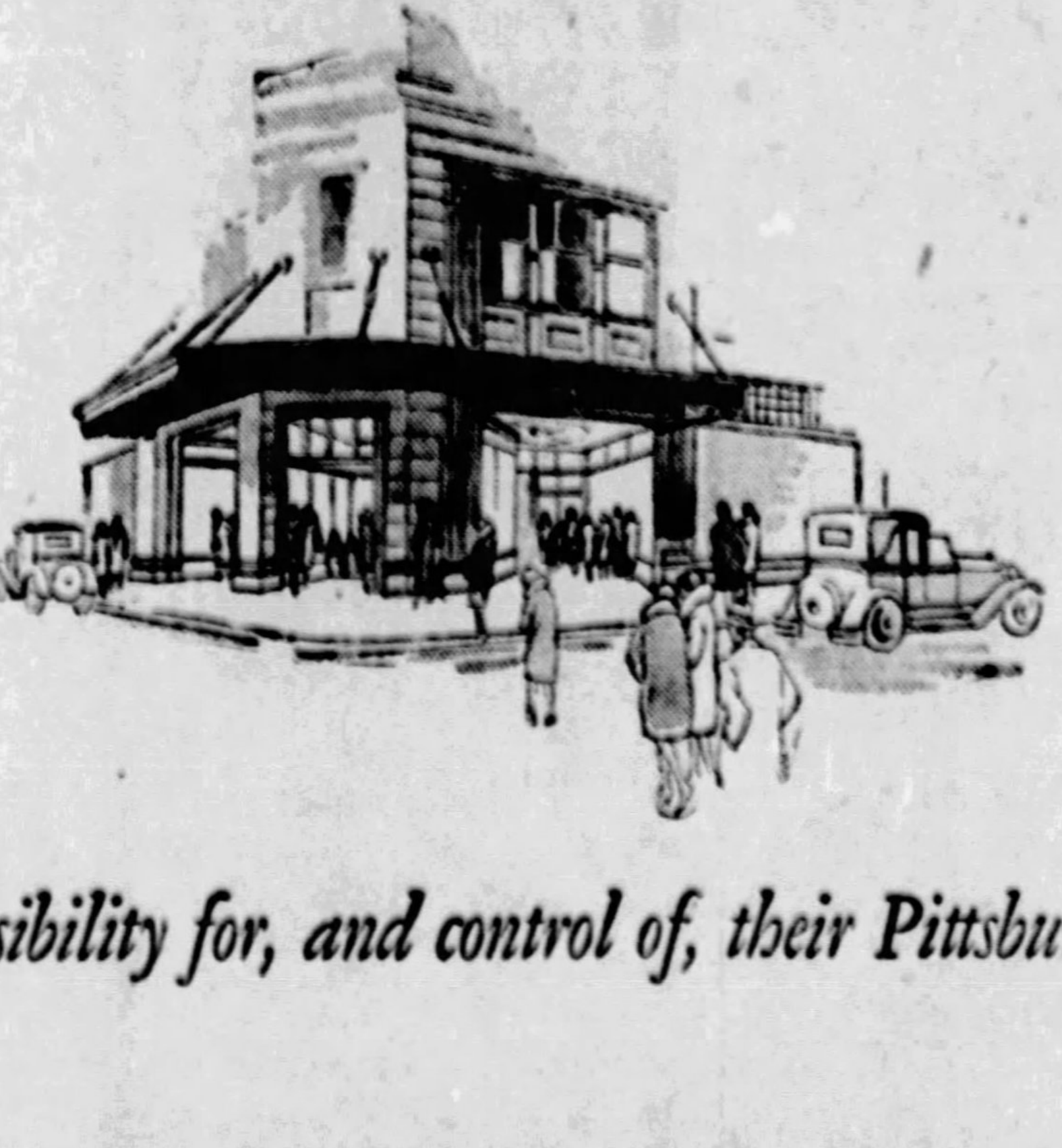

Gimbel Brothers assume full responsibility for, and control of, their Pittsburgh Store on January first

PATRICIA PITT'S SPRIGHTLY COMMENT ON PITTSBURGH SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Floppy Hats and Tight-Waisted Dresses Will Be Feature at "Gay Nineties" Ball Tonight

"TONIGHT'S the night" of the Gay Nineties ball and every member of the Federation of Girls' School Societies is hoping that all the delightful things they have planned will go through smoothly. They really have arranged a most unusual party and using the Mauve Decade as background, their effects should be just as amusing as they are intended to be. Perhaps those floppy hats and tight-waisted dresses with their leg o' mutton sleeves were not funny then, but on the modern girl they are what one might call—if one were slangily inclined—a scream.

Then the Midway Plaisance should prove an attraction, reminiscent of the Chicago World's Fair but hardly expected to stir up memories in most of us, and there are to be a number of summer park amusements. Dances and tableaux with an 1890 flavor will be given, topped off with the more than modern 1990 dance.

It is hardly necessary to repeat all the committee's plans for tonight but, to say the least, they are interesting. Mrs. Charles L. Snowden, Jr., is general chairman, with Mrs. Ambrose N. Diehl in charge of the Midway Plaisance; Marjorie Kimball, the dances, and Mrs. Wilmer M. Jacoby, the tableaux.

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Two young cousins, one from Pittsburgh and the other from California, made their bows to society together last night at a ball which Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Childs III, of Roslyn place, and Mr. and Mrs. Blair Childs, of Beeler street, gave in the Pittsburgh Golf Club. The debutantes were their nieces, Mary Childs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Childs, of Albemarle street, and Jane Foster, who is the daughter of Mrs. Charles Addison Foster, of San Francisco, the former Gertrude Childs. The Fosters, you remember, have made their home in the West for a number of years, and Jane was educated there. She is here spending the winter with her grandmother, Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr., of Kipling road.

Christmas decorations, of course, were used in the club, the Ballroom being banked with evergreens. Supper was served in the dining room and in the grillroom. The hosts and the debutantes received together, both of the buds wearing white frocks and carrying Colonial bouquets. Mrs. Harvey Childs III was gowned in yellow chiffon, while Mrs. Blair Childs wore black velvet.

One cotillion figure was danced, led by John Ricketson III dancing with Jane, and Alexander Robinson, with her cousin.

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For her daughter, Margaret Brill, and two other guests, Gertrude Speer and Betty McKay, Mrs. Alfred Polland Brill, of St. James street, is planning to give a luncheon at home tomorrow. After the luncheon, the girls will go to the theater.

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Added to the long list of school parties is the dance which Mr. and Mrs. J. Frederic Byers, of Sewickley Heights, are to give next Tuesday night in the Allegheny Country Club for their daughter, Nancy Lee Byers. Nancy is a student at the Erskine School in Boston, and, of course, is home for Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Day Chamberlin have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mildred Louise Chamberlin, and John Fred Lissfelt of Pittsburgh, which was solemnized Saturday in Rochester, N. Y. After January 8, Mr. and Mrs. Lissfelt will be at home in Baum boulevard. Mr. Lissfelt is a well-known musician and is music critic of The Sun-Telegraph.

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The marriage of Miss Margaret West Reuck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Stanton of Atlantic City, and William Colwell Fundis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Fundis of Pittsburgh, was solemnized Saturday at noon. Owing to illness in the family the wedding was a quiet one. The bride wore an ensemble costume of dawn blue crepe and silver metal cloth, with hat to match, and carried blush pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Fundis will live in Atlantic City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Henderson of "Ridgeview," Glenshaw, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Henderson, to Dr. John Louis Marshall, son of Dr. and Mrs. William N. Marshall of Aspinwall.

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The Shamrock Club of Division No. 1, A. O. H., will hold a New Year's dance and entertainment Saturday night in its hall, Sarah street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Pyeatte of Dormont announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillian Blanche Pyeatte, and Orville S. Rappold, which was solemnized November 22 in the First Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Dr. W. A. Jones. After January 15 Mr. and Mrs. Rappold will be at home in Dormont.

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D. M. Meinert is president of the Pittsburgh Club of the University of Notre Dame, which will hold its annual ball next Monday night in the Pittsburgh Field Club. William Steitz is vice president; James Dodson, secretary, and Robert Strickel, treasurer. Mr. Meinert is serving as general chairman for the ball.

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The marriage of Miss Margaret Lougee Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Martin, of Crafton, and F. Nellis Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolf, of the East End, was solemnized Saturday night in the First Baptist Church of Crafton by the Rev. Roland Hudson. The bride wore white taffeta and tulle with a veil of tulle and Chantilly lace. Her sister, Miss Laura Martin, as maid of honor, appeared in rose taffeta, while the bridesmaid, Miss Martha Reeves, of Louisville, Ky., wore green taffeta. Helen Rebenack, of Crafton, was flower girl, wearing baby pink taffeta. Ronald Stevenson, of Knoxville, was best man and the ushers included Charles Wolf, of Dormont, and John Allen, of Sheraden.

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A benefit card party will be held Friday night, January 6, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Sodality of the Church of the Assumption, Bellevue, in the church auditorium. Bridge, "500," euchre and bingo will be played. Miss Helen B. Malloy is chairman of publicity; Miss Mary Lewis, refreshments, and Miss Marie O'Brien, prizes.

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The Campus Club of Penn State will entertain the Pittsburgh alumni, the undergraduates and their guests at a Christmas dance tomorrow night in Webster Hall. Gordon M. Harris is chairman.

Patricia Pitt

EASTERNER VISITING HERE

Miss Miriam Wagoner, of Philadelphia, is the house guest of Miss Betty Clugston, of Regent Square

MISS MIRIAM WAGONER

John D. Giving Party To Florida Neighbors

By Universal Service.

ORMOND BEACH, Fla., Dec. 27.—Following the usual custom the annual Christmas party for residents of Ormond village will be held by John D. Rockefeller, Sr., at his winter home, the Casements, this evening.

People living in the same block with the aged oil magnate and other citizens of Ormond will gather at the invitation of Mr. Rockefeller, by whom they will be welcomed.

With Rockefeller standing beside a piano, leading in the singing, Christmas carols will be sung. Then will follow the distribution of presents, each guest receiving at least one and sometimes two or three packages, carefully selected beforehand as appropriate to the recipient.

Rockefeller plainly evinced his keen pleasure when a group of Ormond citizens assembled before the Casements Christmas eve and sang Christmas carols.

CONGRESS OF CLUBS GAY IN ITS CHRISTMAS GARB

The Congress of Clubs is exceedingly gay in appearance these days, for the house committee has dressed it in holiday costume. That the committee members achieve a different effect each year is a compliment to their ingenuity. Two short fir trees flank the door steps outside and the archway in the hall, which is one of the distinctive architectural features of the house, is outlined with smilax and has a tree at either side. Wreaths are everywhere, on the walls, in the windows, some of them with lights in their centers, and quantities of holly assist in the ensemble. The mantels are especially attractive with their symmetrical banking of holly and poinsettia.

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A Christmas breakfast will be given tomorrow in the Twentieth Century Club by the Pittsburgh Mt. Holyoke alumnae, the honor guests to be the undergraduates home for the holidays. Mrs. H. L. Cleland, the chairman, is in charge of a program which will follow breakfast.

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The Pittsburgh Sweet Briar College Association will hold its Christmas breakfast at the University Club tomorrow at 11 o'clock. Similar gatherings will convene on the same day in 53 other cities where Sweet Briar is represented. The Pittsburgh branch will elect officers and movies of the 1927 commencement exercises will be shown. Miss Martha Lobinger is president of the local club.

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The Woman's Club of Ingram will give a Christmas party tomorrow in the Railways Administration Building and the juniors of the club will be the guests of honor. The program, in charge of Mrs. R. W. Scott, will include a reading of "The Birthday of Hope," by Mrs. W. M. Brown.

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At the meeting of the Woman's Historical Society next Monday Della McMeans will give an illustrated talk on "A Cruise in Europe."

BATHER KILLED BY FUMES

NEW CASTLE, Dec. 27.—Emil Anderson, 50, of 510 John street, died shortly after being found unconscious in the bathroom of his home Sunday after being overcome by carbon monoxide fumes. He died in the New Castle Hospital. He was taking a bath and was overcome by the fumes from a gas stove, which went out while he was bathing. Coroner J. P. Caldwell is investigating.

Strolling

Photo by International Newsreel.

PRESIDENT'S SON

Photo shows John Coolidge, son of the President of the United States, as he appeared strolling about Washington during the Christmas holidays.

LIGHTS ON TREE BLAMED FOR $1,000 FIRE

Fire, caused, according to police, by Christmas tree lights, routed three families at 428-430 Dinwiddie street, last night, and did damage estimated at $1,000.

The fire originated in the apartment of Mrs. A. Garding. Smoke, which filled the building, drove out the families of Mrs. W. Caplin on the second floor and of W. Shannon on the third floor. The office of J. P. Womble Real Estate Company on the first floor was damaged by smoke and water.

AIMEE'S FLOCK PAYS REWARD

By Universal Service.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—First rewards for the capture of William Edward Hickman were paid by Aimee Semple McPherson, the evangelist, yesterday.

Mrs. McPherson took up a collection totaling $400 from her congregation a week ago, stating the reward was not for vengeance, "but to take a distinct menace from the community."

The evangelist sent checks of $100 each to Tom Gurdane, chief of police at Pendleton, Ore., and Buck Lieuallen, sergeant of Oregon State police, Hickman's captors; Sergeant L. H. Barlow, Los Angeles police fingerprint expert, and George Willoughby, Seattle haberdasher, who sounded the alarm when Hickman tendered him one of the $20 ransom bills.

U. S. HAS 7TH OF WORLD TRADE, ESTIMATES SHOW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Fully one-seventh of the world's trade this year has been America's trade, government figures indicated yesterday. With Commerce Department figures as a basis, experts estimated that world trade for the year will have amounted on January 31 to $61,268,000,000. America's exports and imports, it was estimated, attain a value of $9,120,000,000. Exports are expected to account for $4,920,000,000 and imports $4,200,000,000.

TRANSLATION OF OLDEST SCIENTIFIC BOOK FINISHED

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The work of translating and editing the oldest scientific book in the world has just been completed by Prof. James Henry Breasted, director of the Oriental institute of the University of Chicago. The work is the Edwin Smith papyrus, an Egyptian medical treatise of the seventeenth century, before Christ.

INQUIRING INTO NEW YORK MAN'S DEATH TO CONTINUE

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Dec. 27.—A further inquiry into the death of a man identified by papers as J. B. Lang, of New York City, will be made this morning and the viscera examined to ascertain the cause of his death. The body was found in the room of a hotel here. The New York police have been asked to search for relatives or friends of Lang and advise if possible what disposition shall be made of the body.

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Children's and Boys' Shoes

A timely opportunity, while the children are on vacation, to provide winter shoes for your family at decidedly worth-while savings. The newest styles and leathers are included in the sale. An early visit will assure you a full run of sizes and styles from which to select.

Misses' Shoes—Low shoes in straps and Oxfords in both Patent Leather and Tan. Sizes 2½ to 7............. $4.85 to $5.85

Junior Misses' Shoes—Low shoes in straps and Oxfords, Patent Leather and Tan. Sizes 11½ to 2............... $3.45 to $4.45

Children's Shoes—High and low shoes in Patent Leather and Tan. Sizes 8½ to 11........................... $3.45 to $3.95

Boys' Shoes—High and low shoes in Tan and Black leathers. Sizes 1 to 6 (sold in Men's Department, First Floor).. $4.45 to $4.95

Junior Boys' Shoes—High and low shoes in Tan and Black. Sizes 10 to 13½.............................. $3.45 to $4.45

Verner
249 Fifth Avenue

The Children's Barber Shop
is always at your service. Four barbers under the management of Mr. Frank Calogero assure prompt and satisfactory hair cutting for girls and boys.

A SOUVENIR TO EVERY CHILD

Boggs & Buhl great after-holiday clearance

READY-TO-WEAR

Final action of 1927 in disposing of great quantities of Ready-to-Wear—apparel for women, misses, girls, men, boys, children and infants at quick clear-away prices. Overstocks—surplus and odd lots—and clothing in general at substantial mark-downs, often reaching ¼, ⅓ or even ½ (and more) off. An action-inciting sale that should clear tens of thousands of dollars' worth at low prices tomorrow—and remaining days this week.

$79.50 to $89.50 coats

$55

In a wide diversity of styles—smart, dressy type coats of the more popular flat surface fabrics — fur collar and fur cuffs in attractive styles. Sizes for both women and misses. Sale, $55.00.

$95 to $125 Dress and Sport Coats

$75

Unusually attractive lot of women's and misses' finer coats for dress and sports wear—lovely coats of the season's various fabrics —generously furred. Excellent range of colors in the selection.

Special Lot—$49.50 to $59.50 Sports Coats

$35

Regrouping of women's and misses' charming fur collared coats—novelty fabrics, many imported — medium to dark shades—also junior sizes.

Handsome $145 to $195 Dress Coats

$125

Most distinctive fashioning in splendid dressy coats — attractive straight line and flared effects—braided with most exquisite furs. A most wonderful group.

Lot of Women's and Misses' $29.50 to $39.50 Sport Coats Reduced to $25.00

——Second Floor——

boys' $15 to $35 overcoats

$10.50 to $25.00

The Boys' Winter Overcoat prices drop to low levels. Great selection of finer grades—Sampeck and Skolny makes included. All from regular stock. Single and double-breasted models—light and dark colors—even the staple Blue coats. Four outstanding price groups:

Boys' $30.00 to $35.00 overcoats	$25.00
Boys' $25.00 to $27.50 overcoats	$20.00
Boys' $18.50 to $22.50 overcoats	$15.00
Boys' $15.00 overcoats	$10.50

BOYS' $18.50 TO $20.00 PREP SUITS

$15.00

Rounded up one great lot of boys' long trouser suits—in single and double-breasted styles—all with extra trousers and vest. Sizes 14 to 18. Radical Clearance Price—$15.00.

BOYS' $18.50 TO $22.50 KNICKER SUITS

$14.50

Broken lines of finer Knicker Suits—Sampeck and Skolny makes—all with extra knickers and vest. Sizes 7 to 19.

One table small boys' novelty suits—reduced to ½ price.

——Boys' Clothing, Third Floor——

$12.50 transparent black velvet $7.85 Yard

Just about the most popular item of the year—black, the season's best shade—transparent velvet, its favored fabric—regular $12.50 imported quality at more than one-third off—$7.85 yard.

$9.50 Black Transparent Velvet— $5.95 yard.

Regular $6.95 to $25.00 exquisite imported metal cloths—sale priced at ¼ and ⅓ off.

Printed Silk Crepes—from $2.25 to $2.45 lots—good selection of colors and patterns—special **$1.65** yard.

——First Floor——

men's suits

$27.50 $37.50 $47.50
$57.50 $67.50 $77.50

FORMERLY MARKED AT $35.00 TO $95.00

The many men who wait for this annual clearance strike it richer than ever this year. Prices lower than for many years—values that will sell on sight. Broken lines, of course—but some mighty fine suits included from Society Brand and other good makers. Single and double-breasted models, light, medium and dark colors. All sizes in the combined lots.

MEN'S $35 TO $40 OVERCOATS

$27.50

No question but that Overcoats with the B & B label in them at this low price are a sensational "buy." Splendid selection, too—Oxford Grays, Blues and fancy mixtures. Single or double-breasted styles. Clearance prices mean "move-out" prices here—they go at $27.50.

two splendid lots—fine

fur coats

$150 $350

Coats of real distinction, marked beauty and quality that endures. So drastically priced as to center real attention upon buying for an investment at this time. Beautifully trimmed—handsomely lined—tailored to B & B's strict exactness.

At $150—Splendid lot of such excellent furs as Black or Tan Pony, Baby Seal, Beaverette, Leopard Cat, Near Seal, Muskrat and Platinum and Beige Caracul Paw.

At $350—lovely creations of the furrier's art—Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat), Jap Weasel, Mole, Black Muskrat, Caracul in Brown, Black and Platinum, American Broadtail and others.

——Furs, Second Floor——

girls' $25 and $29 coats, $19.75

A most extraordinary group of smartly tailored as well as dressier type coats. The tailored models of Germania Chinchilla with Nutria collar and cuffs. The dressier ones of suede finish materials in various colors are all fur trimmed. Also fur collared sport coats in sizes 6 to 14 years—Sale, $19.75.

$13.50 to $16.50 COATS, $10.00

$19.75 to $22.50 COATS, $15.00

Girls' $5.00 to $7.50 Jersey Dresses, $3.95

One and two-piece styles in a variety of colors—trimmed with wool embroidery or smart combinations of color contrast. Sizes 6 to 12. Other dress groups priced for clearance—$5.00 to $15.00.

——Second Floor——

splendid lot—dresses

$15

A regrouping of excellent practical dresses in good looking models for women and misses—smart light weight rep, wool crepe, jerseys, satins, crepes and georgettes admirably suited to street, school or business wear. Were regularly up to $25.00—Clearance—$15.00

$35.00 to $49.50 Dresses—$25.00

Most interesting group of Street and Afternoon dresses—in attractive crepes, satins, georgettes, line stripes, jersey, friskas and fine wool fabrics. A color selection that covers the range—Black, Navy, Cocoa, Green, Copen, Wine and Tan. Most special at $25.00

$49.50 to $69.50 Dresses—$35.00

Many practically at half price — dressy street and afternoon dresses—Crepe Back Satins, Georgettes and combinations—straight line and draped models in Black, Navy, Brown and Tan—and light shades—Sale, $35.00.

Plain and Combination Velvet Dresses—were $59.50	$35.00
Plain and Printed Velvet Dresses—were $89.50	$55.00
Beaded Evening Gowns—were to $79.50	$45.00
Beaded Evening Gowns—were to $175.00	$65.00

——Second Floor——

winter millinery—½ price

—some less

Hundreds of hats—a radical clearance of entire winter stock of velour and velvet hats—and a very considerable quantity of early winter felt hats. Plenty of them at even less than half price.

Instances of what this clearance means—

$7.50 Felt, Velvet and Velour Hats	$ 3.00
$10 to $16.50 Velvet and Velour Hats	$ 5.00
$20 to $22.50 Velvet and Velour Hats	$10.00

Finer and exclusive millinery at half price—children's hats radically reduced.

——Second Floor——

small children's finer coats—

⅓ off—and lower

Several most remarkable groups — $15.00 to $37.95 Coats of Broadcloth, Velour, Velvet and Bolivia—for the most part fur trimmed—for tots of 2 to 6 years. After Christmas priced — **$9.95, $12.95 to $24.95.**

Small boys' $3.00 and $3.50 Woolen Suits—plain or braid trimmed—most special—**$1.95.**

Sweater Sets, Dresses, Hats and Baby Bonnets at corresponding mark downs.

—Infants', Second Floor—

girls' coat and lumberjack sweaters

$3.95

Odd garments and broken assortments of girls' coats and lumber jack sweaters—6 to 12 years—$4.75 to $5.95 values to clear at **$3.95.**

Girls' $2.95 wool slipon sweaters—6 to 12 yrs., now **$1.95.**

Broken assortment of wool sweaters, jackette, coat and slip-on styles—sizes 36 to 46—formerly $5.95 to $7.50—cleared at **$3.95.**

Suit Blouses of novelty silk, georgette crepe and crepe de chine—$5.95 to $7.50 Blouses—**$3.95.**

—Second Floor—

fancy holiday goods—all types and kinds

HALF PRICE

Drastic clearance of many things of a holiday nature — scores of departments making quick disposal of great quantities of goods classified as holiday merchandise. Tables and cases throughout the store displaying clearance goods in convenient form for ready selection. Substantial amounts at half price—and other great lots at ¼ or ⅓ off—every aisle, and every floor, greets you with opportunity to buy to marked advantage.

Notions
Housefurnishings
Leather Goods
Hand Bags
Fitted Bags and Cases
Jewelry
Handkerchiefs
Pictures
Dolls and Toys
Artneedlework
Books
Chinaware
Glassware
Ribbons
Men's Furnishings
Silverware
Linens and Scarfs
Toilet Articles
Perfumes
Draperies
Stationery

EARLY ATTENTION TOMORROW MEANS BETTER CHOICE

FARM GIRL CHEVALIER

Photo by International Newsreel.

MISS CHLOE OWINGS

Miss Owings, head of the hygiene bureau at Minneapolis and associate professor of the University of Minnesota, has just been made Chevalier of the Legion of Honor and awarded the Prix Carlier of the Academy of Social and Political Science of France, The Medaille D'Honeur Service De E'Enfance En Danger Moral, and the Medaille De La Reconnaissance Francaise. At the age of 16 Miss Owings ran her invalid mother's farm. Later she graduated from Knox College, winning the Phi Beta Kappa key. In 1916, she went to France and was made director of the American Relief House in Paris. She graduated from the University of Paris with highest honors. Then she founded the social service of the children's court in the French capitol, for which she has now received these latest honors.

Morgan Steel Reign Foreseen Here

The election of J. Pierpont Morgan as successor to Judge Elbert H. Gary as chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation has been anticipated in the gossip of Pittsburgh banking and industrial circles.

"The election of Morgan would be good strategy," was a comment frequently heard in Pittsburgh. "The position of the Steel Corporation in its affiliations with General Motors and the competition at home and abroad facing both these organizations, require a banker as chief executive and mouthpiece of United States Steel."

"Don't think that because you have not heard much of Morgan in the public prints that he is not active in business affairs," declared a corporation attorney close to local financial men in the Morgan chain. "While the public thinks that Morgan devotes himself to collecting art and hibernating on his yacht, Wall street knows differently. He is a virile man in close touch with public affairs. He is the logical man to head the corporation because he is one man just now most needed for the place."

Today's is the first meeting of the board of the United States Steel Corporation since its organization 26 years ago that Pittsburgh has not been represented. With the death of Judge James H. Reed several months ago, Pittsburgh lost its only seat on the board.

"Pittsburgh, the cradle of the steel industry, has no voice in the management of the great organization that operates its mills. The corporation founded by Andrew Carnegie, developed by Henry C. Frick, and whose charter was written by P. C. Knox, now ignores Pittsburgh," Pittsburghers complained. "This presents a situation that should be remedied by more aggressive action by Pittsburgh capital and Pittsburgh brains."

BEER SEIZED DOWNTOWN

Ten barrels of beer being delivered to the Lafayette Hotel, Liberty avenue and Grant street, were seized by prohibition agents this morning. Seven barrels had been placed in the cellar, one on the sidewalk and the truck still contained two. The driver fled at the approach of the agents. The truck was seized.

Window Too Small, Cut Jail Bars to Free Escaper

By International News Service.

CARLISLE, Pa., Dec. 27.—Because he misjudged the size of a window in his cell in the Cumberland county jail here, George W. Starner, 19, of York, today was in a critical condition due to exposure.

Starner attempted to escape from the jail by crawling through the window, but was unable to squeeze his head and shoulders through. He then became wedged in the aperture and his cries for help brought officials.

They were unable to help him, however, and after Starner hung exposed to the bitter cold for several hours, a local welder succeeded in cutting away the metal casing with a torch and freeing the youth. Starner was serving a sentence for theft of a radio.

MURDER COUPLE FOR SAVINGS

MULLENS, W. Va., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Hoarding savings in cash in their home, because failure of a local bank had made then fearful, yesterday cost Enoch Tolliver, 85-year-old storekeeper at Pierpont, and his wife their lives as well as their savings.

Disturbed by addition of another to the series of such murders in recent months at various towns in this state, state police and Wyoming county deputy sheriffs joined efforts in a search for the murderer, which in the first 24 hours yielded only a broken trail to the Mullens railroad station and 58 cents that he had dropped in his flight.

Bodies of the aged couple were found several hours after the crime by their nephew.

RECORD SNOW GRIPS ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—England is buried in snow. The storm over Christmas was without parallel in the southwestern counties since the blizzard of 1881. In the valleys and railway cuts as far west as Devonshire the drifts in some instances are from 12 to 16 feet deep.

Most of the main railway lines have been cleared, but trains on a number of branch roads are still firmly wedged in huge snowdrifts. Country villages in numerous sections are entirely isolated, due to the breakdown of rail traffic and blocked highways.

Although the snowfall has ceased, high winds continue. A furious gale is raging in the English Channel.

SEEK 5 MORE IN HOTEL FIRE

HOPEWELL, Va., Dec. 27.—Workmen continued today to search debris for bodies of additional victims trapped in the fire which early Christmas morning destroyed the $70,000 Central Hotel here.

The body of one man was recovered yesterday and it is believed at least five other persons lost their lives.

SWAN WAY FILL AGAIN HELD UP

Judge George V. Moore, following a hearing in Common Pleas Court today, continued the temporary injunction against Sylvester Heh, restraining him from filling up Swan way between Chislett and Bryant streets. The Commonwealth Trust Company, guardians for Elizabeth, James and Eugene McFerren, instituted the proceedings. The fill, it was testified, causes water from the alley to drain onto the McFerren and other properties and has damaged them as a result.

KAUFMANN'S
FIFTH AVENUE ATLANTIC 1000 PITTSBURGH

After-Christmas
SALE
1/4 1/3 1/2
off

Every Department, from the Downstairs Store to the Eleventh Floor, Offers Extraordinary Values in Odd Lots—and in Many Complete Lines of Merchandise.

Neckwear
Notions
Handkerchiefs
Jewelry
Clocks
Watches
Fancy Baskets
Wash Goods
Linens
Bedding
Silverware
Rugs, Carpets
Window Shades
Cushions
Cedar Chests
Wall Paper
Books
Calendars
Stationery
Smokers' Needs
Toys—Dolls
Games
Bric-a-Brac
China—Glass
Men's Furnishings
Men's Hats
Boys' Clothing
Boys' Furnishings
Boys' Hats and Caps
Men's Bathrobes
Leather Coats
Men's Sweaters
House Coats

Men's Suits and Overcoats
¼ Off

Men's Suits, regularly $55 to $95 ....¼ Off
Odd Lot of Kuppenheimer Suits, formerly $40 and $45 ....¼ Off
Odd Lots of Kuppenheimer Overcoats, regularly $55 to $90 ....¼ Off
Entire Stock of Imported Overcoats, regularly $50 to $125 ....¼ Off
Odd Lots of Hickey-Freeman Overcoats, regularly priced $55 to $100..........¼ Off
Odd Lots of Overcoats—regularly $40............¼ Off
Odd Lots of Young Men's Two-Trouser Prep Suits—regularly $25 to $50, ¼ Off
Odd Lot of Prep Overcoats, regularly $25 to $45..¼ Off
Odd Lots of Men's Trousers now ....¼ Off
(The Store for Men—Second Floor)

Sporting Goods
Auto Supplies
Evening Slippers
Imported Mules
Leather Goods
Beaded Bags
Women's Umbrellas
Hosiery
Millinery
Ribbon Novelties
Laces
Lingerie
Dress Slips
Corsets
Infants' Wear
Silks
Woolen Goods
Linoleum
Ukuleles
Pianos
Radios
Beds, Mattresses
Furniture
Curtains
Draperies
Lamps—Shades
Lighting Fixtures
Pictures
Mirrors
Art Needlework
Toilet Articles
Cameras
Luggage

Women's, Misses', Girls' Apparel
¼ ⅓ ½ Off

Included are lovely dresses for all occasions. Smart suits in ensemble or tailored styles; beautiful coats in sports or dressy effects, lavishly trimmed with fur; sportswear, fur coats and wraps. Also coats, suits and dresses in the Duchess Shop, especially designed for the larger woman.
(Women's Apparel—Fourth Floor)
(Girls' Apparel—Third Floor)

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Furniture
¼ and ⅓ Off

Smoking Stands, Telephone Cabinets, Sewing Cabinets, Windsor Chairs, Coffee Tables, End Tables, Hall Chairs, Wing Chairs, Cogswell Chairs, Tea Wagons, Writing Desks, Console Tables, Magazine Racks, Gateleg Tables, Tilt Top Tables, Day Beds, Occasional Tables, Davenport Tables, Decorated Cedar Chests, Enameled Drop Leaf Tables, Kitchen Tables, Metal Beds.
(Kaufmann's—Eighth and Seventh Floors)

All French Transformations (Imports)—¼ Off *(Adoria Beauty Salon—Fifth Floor)*

STORE HOURS: 9 A. M. TO 5:30 P. M.

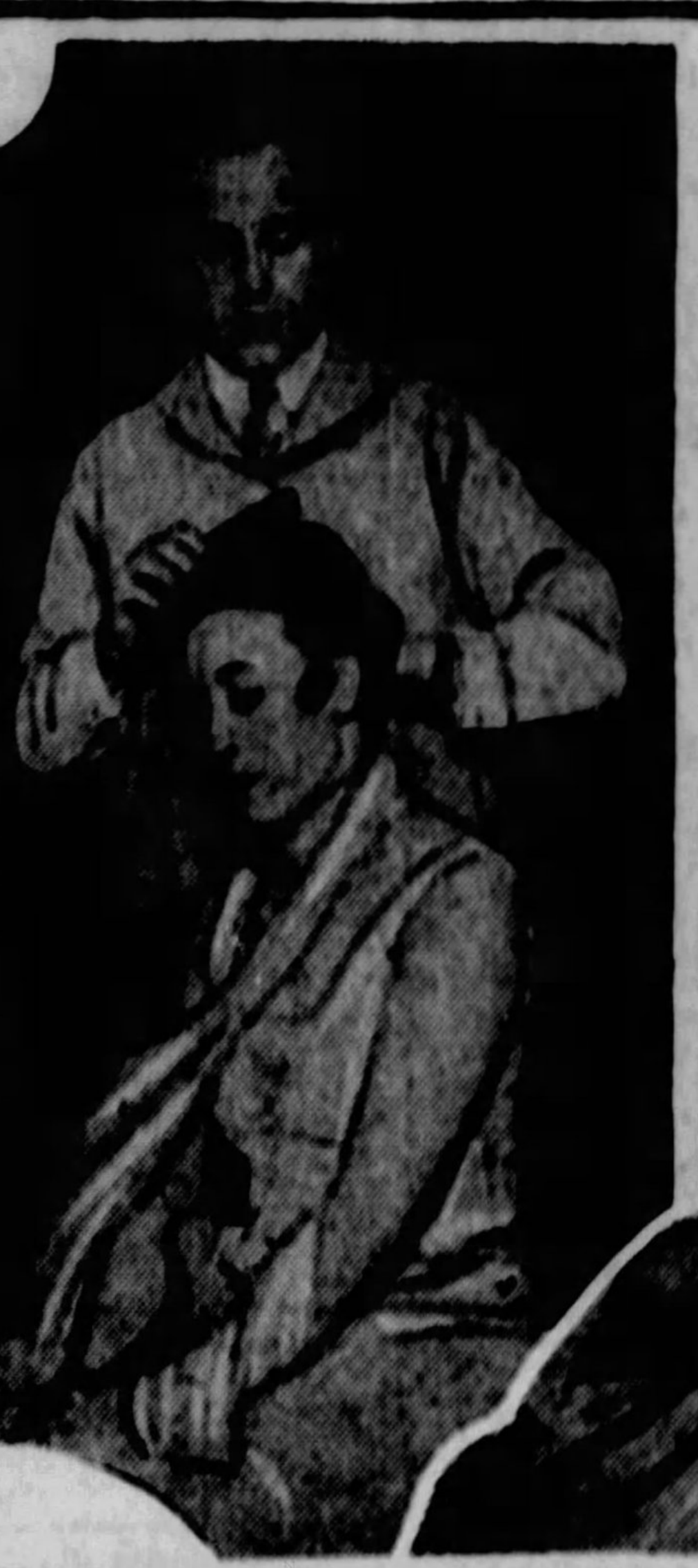
By Their Hair TRESSES INDEX TO SOCIAL CALENDAR You Know Where They Go

TO COLLEGE
Marie Duvall gets a few added curls and things such as the chic co-ed takes to classes.

ON WITH DANCE
Ann CoDee becomes a bit more formal with this coiffure for formal dance and other evening wear.

SPORTY
Here Mlle. CoDee shows Paris' idea of how the smart woman fixes her hair for sport wear.

DINNER
Miss Duvall illustrates the slight changes necessary to convert her co-ed coiffure into formal dinner mode.


RIDE OR WALK
If you're going for a ride—or a walk—in the park, Mlle. CoDee's brushed back arrangement is quite the thing.

HURRY-UP FOR TEA
Always late for your tea date? Try this one, Mlle. CoDee's own idea. It's chic and can be quickly arranged.

MONEY LOVE by BEATRICE BURTON

(Copyright, Central Press Association.)

(Continued from Saturday.)

The Lexingtons Decide to Hire a Chauffeur and Butler Combined

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Lily Lexington is the spoiled and only daughter of the Cyrus Lexingtons, who have always lived far beyond their means. She realizes her highest ambition when she becomes engaged to Staley Drummond, a rich bachelor older than herself. Downtown to meet her chum, Sue Cain, she is attracted by Pat France, a taxi driver. She asks him to drive her home. On the way she learns that he is cab-driving to raise money to finance a new kind of piston ring he has invented. Pat tells her that he is selling the cab to raise money for the piston ring, and she miserably wonders how she'll see him after that. Mrs. Lexington plans a big dinner party to announce the engagement, and on the night of it Staley comes to the house early to see Lily alone. He tells her the age-difference between them doesn't matter and tenderly kisses her. Lily realizes that she hates his love-making. Mrs. Lexington announces the engagement just as Lily's made up her mind to tell Staley that she doesn't want to marry him, and she feels like a mouse in a trap—helpless. But she makes up her mind to see Pat once more and finds him in his cab talking to a small, plain girl, who leaves him when Lily comes up.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"I made a mistake when I hired Buller," she said firmly. "Instead of hiring a house man, and then teaching him to drive the car, I should have hired a driver for the car and then taught him to wait on table and polish the silver—and that's what I'm going to do now!"

She put the receiver to her big, pale ear, and gave a number to central.

Lily knew the number. It was the number of the employment office down town, where Mrs. Lexington had been hiring scrub women and gardeners and cooks for as far back as Lily could remember.

"Hello. This is Mrs. Cyrus Lexington speaking," she began in an important voice, and then went on to say that she wished to hire a chauffeur.

"An A-1 driver—you understand?" she finished. "The very best one you have on your list. I shall want him for all sorts of household duties, too."

Lily closed her eyes and listened to the swift flow of her voice—the voice of a woman who knows what she wants and gets it by some hook or crook, always.

She put the receiver back upon its brightly-painted hook, and looked down at her daughter's eyelids and her bandaged forehead.

"I must 'phone Staley, poor fellow, too," she said, her tone softening a little. "He's been here three times today, and he's sent a whole ton of roses. They're downstairs. Would you like to see them, dear?"

Lily shook her head slowly and painfully. The cool, damp air, coming in through the open windows, was fresh and sweet. It smelled of new young leaves and of the lilacs down in the yard.

Roses. . . . They were going to fill the house with roses again in a few weeks. . . . Yellow roses for the wedding. For the day when she would marry Staley Drummond.

"Keep them downstairs, mother," she said, without lifting her heavy eyelids. "The smell of flowers makes me sick—sometimes."

She lay without moving or speaking again until her mother and Miss Sykes, the nurse, went downstairs to their early dinner and she was left alone in the darkened room.

Perhaps it was because the smell of the wet fragrant air brought back to her the memory of another rainy day, only a few weeks before, that she found herself thinking again of Pat France.

All through the month of April she had been so busy with Staley that it has been easy to stick to her resolution to forget Pat and his blue eyes and his piston ring. The days had been so filled with motor rides in Staley's big roadster, with theater trips with him, that she had had little time to think of anyone but him.

And when she wasn't with him he was always sending her things that reminded her of him—flowers, candy, books, magazines, perfumes, Russian cigarets, booklets on European travel. It almost seemed as if he were putting up a silent battle to keep her from thinking of anyone but him, and of anything but her honeymoon with him and her life afterward.

But now, in the still twilight of this May night, she forgot him almost. The thought of him seemed to be lifted, like a heavy weight, from her all at once.

Her eyes went to the far corner of the room, where her dressing table, draped with lace and covered with silver toilet bottles and brushes, stood. Under the sachet-filled padding of the left-hand drawer was something that she wanted.

She sat up in bed, one hand held to her aching, bandaged head. She swung her feet over the side and stepped out upon the rug. Dizzily she went across the room, opened the drawer and groped for the thing she wanted—a taxi driver's identification card.

When she got back to bed she was as tired as if she had taken a 10-mile walk. She fell across it, breathing hard.

Beside the bed was a little green-shaded lamp with the gayest of butterflies painted upon it. It was an effort for Lily to reach over and turn it on. Then she held the card under the light and Pat France's face looked up at her. She let out a weak little whimper as she saw it. . . . Pat, himself, looking at her! Pat!

The sound of his voice came back to her, and his smile. And her feeling for him—the very thing she had tried to forget—came rushing back, 10 times stronger than it had ever been before.

"I've got to see him!" she told herself, her bright head down in the pillows of her bed, and the card crushed together in her clenched hand. "I've got to have him."

She knew it. She was sure of it as she never had been before—and at the same time she knew that in less than a month she was going to marry Staley Drummond. She must think of no one but Staley!

She thought of the things he could give her. The trip to Paris, where the most wonderful clothes in the world were waiting for her and her check book. The town house and the country house that were to be hers. The diamonds that she would have. The automobiles. The good times.

And suddenly she knew that they didn't matter a bit—compared to an ordinary, humble man named Patrick France. A man who could give her nothing but poverty and a hard life—and who apparently had no desire to give her even that. A man who had humiliated her and shown no desire for her or her company.

"Although he did tear my picture out of the paper," she thought, miserably, curled up under the orchid-silk quilt on the bed, "he took that only because he thought I was pretty—" No, the whole thing was hopeless.

A half hour later Miss Sykes found her sound asleep, with tears

(Continued on Fiction Page.)

SECOND NEWS SECTION
THE SUN-TELEGRAPH
SPORTS FEATURES
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1927

FOLLOWS FATHER'S TRAIL

MISS MEGAN LLOYD-GEORGE.

Miss Lloyd-George, daughter, companion, mentor, and secretary of David Lloyd-George, is not continuing her schooling, and she plans within the next two years to stand for a seat in the House of Commons. She is keenly interested in civic affairs and politics, and she hopes one day to be as big a figure in English politics as was her father in the heyday of his career.

STATE VOTE MUST APPROVE SUBWAY HERE

LINK FATE TO NEW BILL

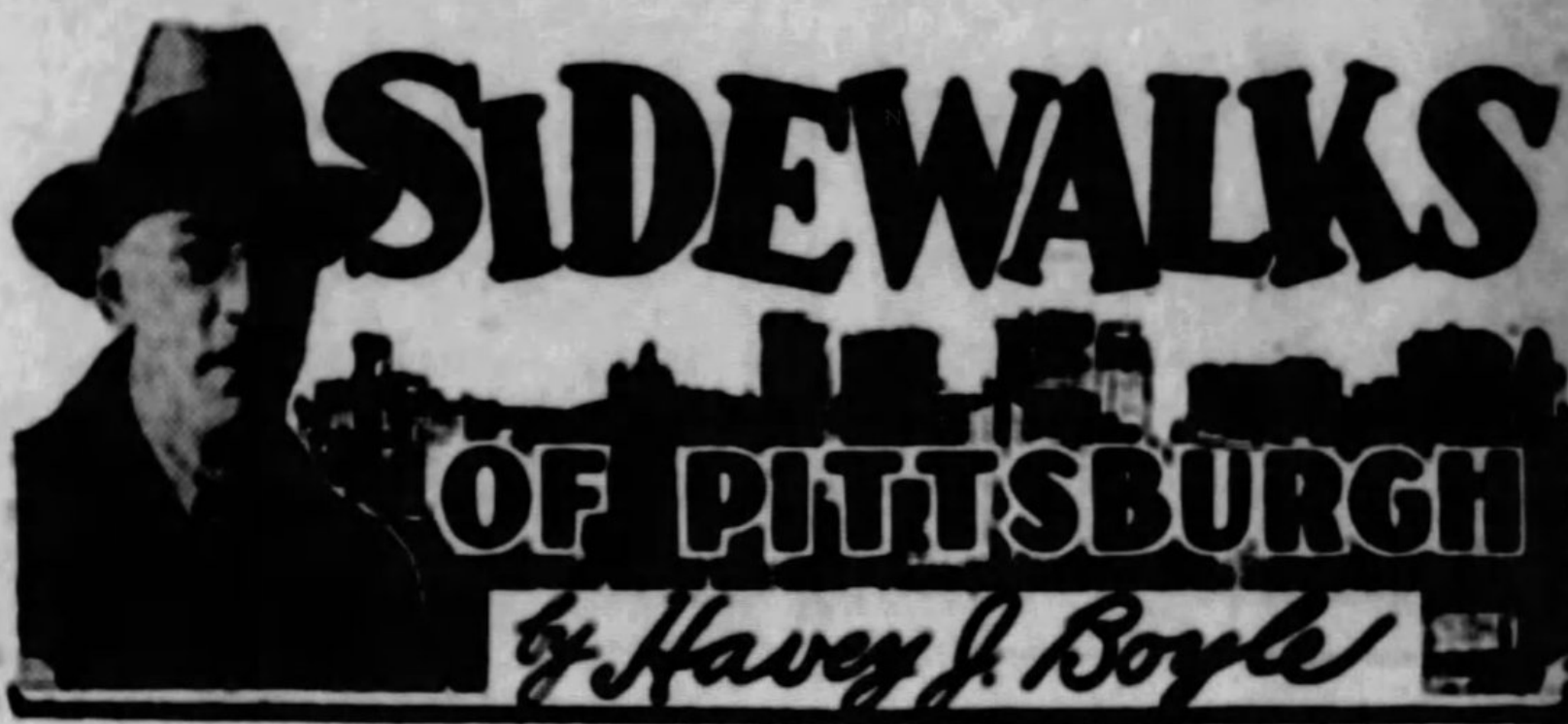
Construction of a subway in Pittsburgh depends upon approval by the voters of Pennsylvania next November of a proposed constitutional amendment that would enable its construction to be paid by the benefit assessment plan, according to a report of the City Transit Commission submitted to Mayor and Council today.

In the report the commission reaffirmed its recommendation of a subway from the vicinity of Fifth avenue and Neville street to the vicinity of Ohio and Federal streets, with ultimate extensions to Wilkinsburg and Bellevue, and also for a crosstown line under Grant street.

During the past 10 years there has been an increase of 127 per cent in the traffic in the downtown section of Pittsburgh, says the report, basing the estimate upon a survey made by the commission. This survey showed that during 1927 50,261 vehicles entered the "triangle" during the hours between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m., compared with 22,101 in 1917.

Of persons entering the section, 51.2 per cent traveled by street cars, 21.6 by automobiles and taxicabs, 11.8 per cent by railroad trains, 14.6 by foot and slightly under 1 per cent by motor busses.

The transit commission, the report stated, is proceeding with the necessary surveys and designs for a subway, pending approval of the benefit assessment plan.



SIDEWALKS OF PITTSBURGH

by Havey J. Boyle

CHRISTMAS cards received from people you know about: Gene Tunney, Charley Grimm, Paul and Lloyd Waner, Fred Clarke, Chick Fraser, Sam Dreyfuss, Karl Davis, Clarence Overend, John McGarvey. The total score with no districts missing: Sent out—50; received—122, not counting the one which not only wished us a happy new year and a merry Christmas, but which also carried a thoughtful little message from the postal authorities: Postage due, two cents.

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THE strains of that old song: "On the Banks of the Wabash," come from a cheap phonograph in a Water street restaurant, if such it can be called. The words of that song always seemed here to be great poetry, two lines especially: "From the fields there comes a breath of new-mown hay," and "Through the sycamores the candle lights are gleaming."

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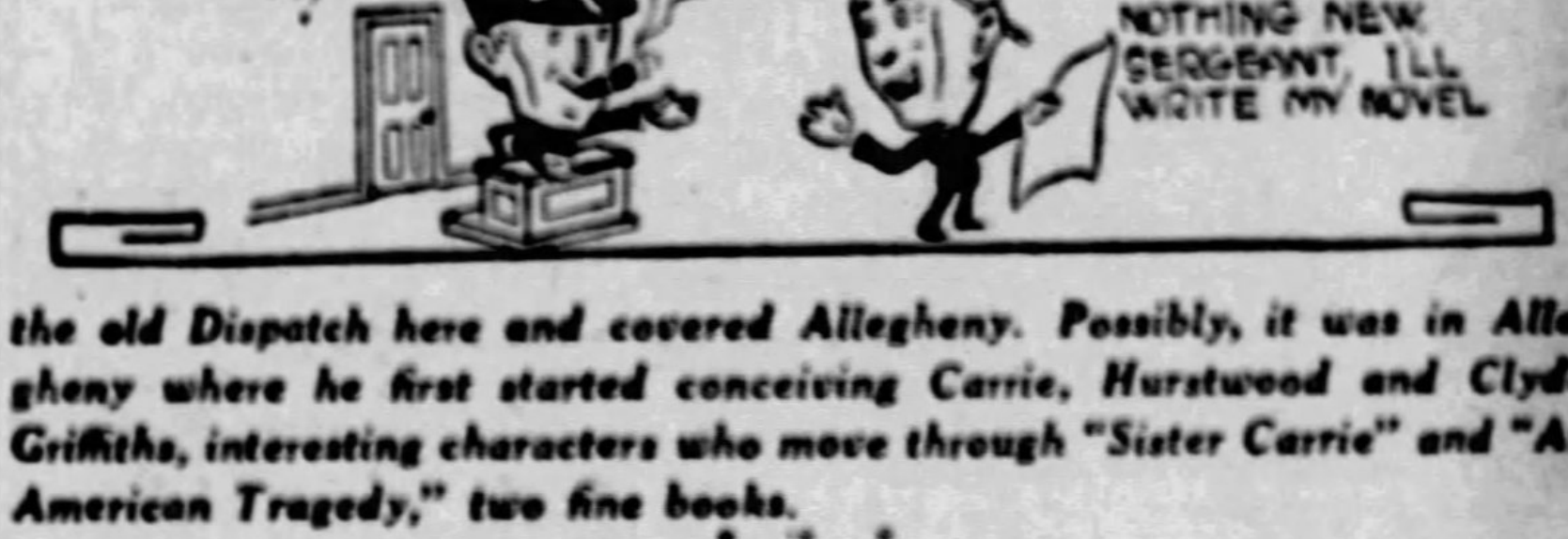
THOSE lines were written by a heavy-set realist, Theodore Dreiser, a one-time Pittsburgh reporter. His brother, Paul, a Broadway figure at the turn of this century, wrote the music. Theodore Dreiser worked on the old Dispatch here and covered Allegheny. Possibly, it was in Allegheny where he first started conceiving Carrie, Hurstwood and Clyde Griffiths, interesting characters who move through "Sister Carrie" and "An American Tragedy," two fine books.


O.K.!
IF THERE'S NOTHING NEW SERGEANT, I'LL WRITE MY NOVEL

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IN AN autobiographical work Dreiser recalls Pittsburgh days, mentioning a slumming expedition he embarked on with Bill Martin, veteran Pittsburgh reporter. The strange thing is that while Dreiser recalls Martin, Bill cannot recall Dreiser, who is now world famous.

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STRUCTURAL steel workers who erect the skeletons of our great buildings are a class as distinctive as soldiers and sailors. To the man in the street their sleight-of-foot on a two-inch beam is more miraculous than the sleight-of-hand of any magician. These riggers have such names as Salvation George, Chew-Tobacco Bob, Paddy the Priest, and Ole Slippery. There is a fantastic legend that these men who walk and work with such sublime indifference on a two-inch beam high in the air are subject to the strangest falls while walking on the ground.

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ALMOST as extinct as the Indian in front of tobacco shops are the glass cases in front of dentists' offices showing the number of teeth extracted by the owners of the peculiar show-cases. One on Carson street is the only dental display of this kind seen of late by this observer.

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THAT tall race of dental assistants is also dying out. I refer to the tall colored man, who, dressed as field marshals of Czecho-Slovakia, stood in front of dentists' offices passing out cards to pedestrians. The cards showed two sets of teeth smiling at you, with the words: "Two Flights Up—Bridge Work a Specialty."

"TRY OUR REPOSSESSED TEETH"

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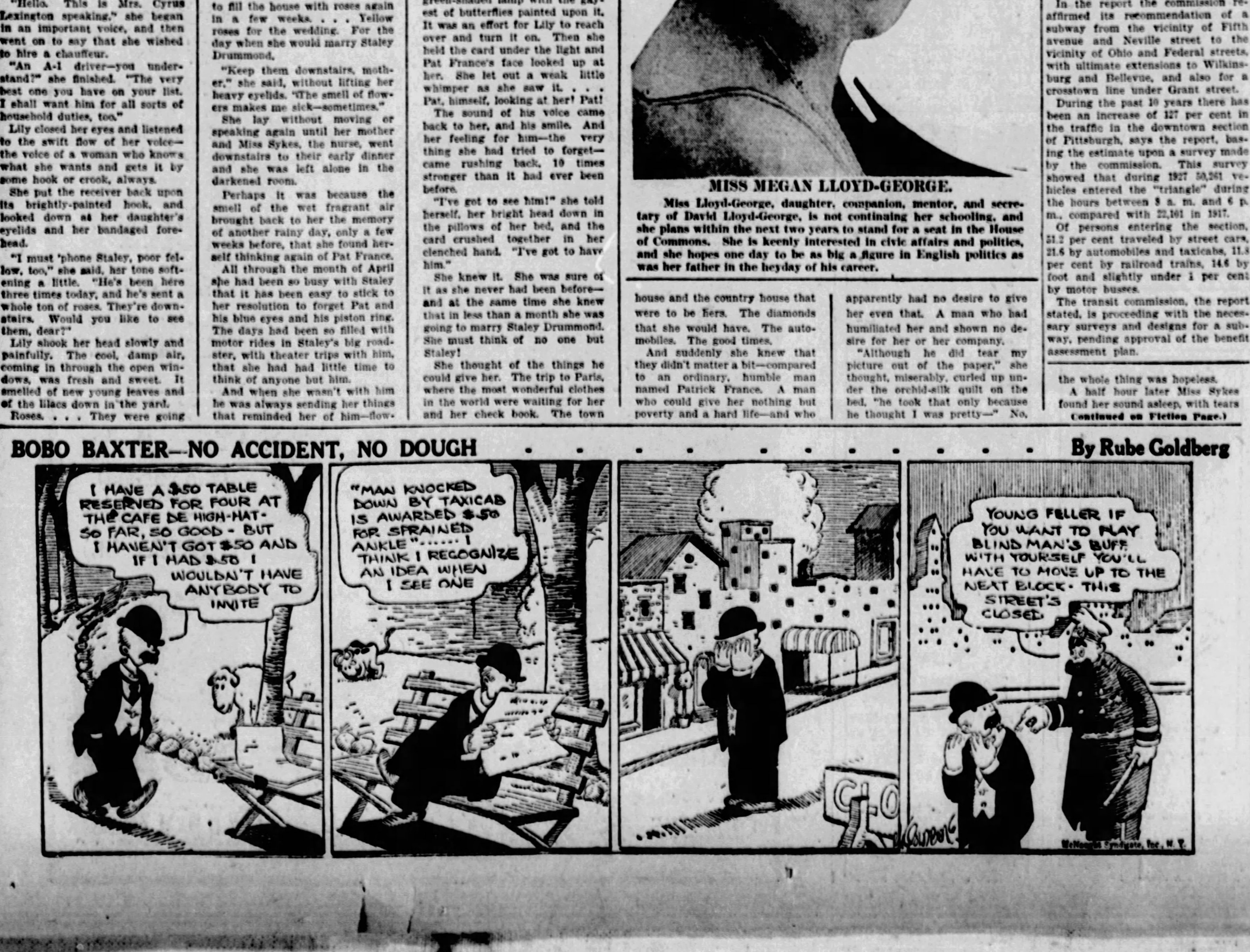
FROM East Liberty to the downtown district I heard a motorman whistling the complete score of "Pinafore." Anxious to hear the last number, I rode past my destination. "What's on the bill for next week?" I asked. "Pirates of Penzance," the motorman replied. If that man had been given a chance to start in as a barber, with that leisure peculiar to barbers, to learn cornet-blowing he might today be a member of the country's leading band.

BOBO BAXTER—NO ACCIDENT, NO DOUGH . . . . By Rube Goldberg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HOME FOR CHRISTMAS, HE FINDS WIFE GAS VICTIM

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 27.—Returning to his home for Christmas, Frederick Howe was forced to break his way into his apartment only to find his wife, Agnes, aged 29, had taken her life by inhaling gas fumes.

LAWRENCEVILLE MAN, STRUCK BY AUTO, DIES

Struck by an auto Saturday in Lawrenceville, J. A. Fleming, 75, died today in his home, 3832 Liberty avenue. Grant Smith, 3422 Forbes street, drove the auto, according to morgue reports.

Divorce Among the English Speaking

CANADA has the lowest proportion of divorce cases in the English-speaking world. Her figure last year was .3 per cent, against England's 2.2 and America's 13.2 per cent.

Fiction Page

Wild Life Preserved

WILD life in Yellowstone Park is as plentiful now as 150 years ago, when only a few Indians had seen the region, a striking testimony to the value of protection.

MONEY LOVE by BEATRICE BURTON

(Continued from Page One, This Section.)

The Lexingtons Decide to Hire a Chauffeur and Butler Combined

drying on her face, and a soiled and crumpled piece of cardboard doubled up in her hand.

Miss Sykes smoothed it out and looked at the photograph on it curiously. Then she looked down at Lily, with Staley's engagement diamond sparkling upon her left hand like a star.

"Ho, hum!" said Miss Sykes to herself. "This doesn't look like the beginning of a very happy married life for Mr. Staley Drummond, does it?" Her face was grave and thoughtful.

She knew a thing or two about life—and about love, too. A trained nurse finds out more about both of these things than most people do.

Being a kind-hearted soul, she slipped the card under the embroidered cover of the bedside table where Lily's mother would not find it when she came upstairs to see that her deughter was settled for the night. And in the morning she laid it on Lily's breakfast tray.

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On the following Wednesday Lily was well enough to go downtown on a shopping trip with her mother.

They were going, not to pick out clothes, for once, but to buy a new automobile.

"Wasn't it just like your father not to have the old car insured?" she asked Lily, bitterly, as they stood outside a show window filled with polished cars of an expensive make. "I never knew such a man. He just hates to spend a five-cent piece, doesn't he? He told me he couldn't afford to keep up the insurance, if you ever heard of anything so silly!"

She gave a sharp and bitter sigh. "I wish the closed cars were the same price as the open ones," she said, plaintively. "But I suppose we'd better get another limousine. Everybody has closed cars these days—and it would look odd to see a chauffeur driving an open one, anyway, wouldn't it?"

"Did the agency send you a chauffeur?" asked Lily, who liked the idea of riding around in style, herself.

"Yes, he came out to the house early this morning—before you were awake, I guess," she answered. "A very nice looking young chap he was, too. . . . I never said a word to him about waiting on table and so on. I thought I'd break it to him gently, after he started work."

"That was sensible," Lily said, in her lovely voice. "You surely do know how to manage people, Mother."

"I certainly do!" Mrs. Lexington threw her chin up proudly. "If I didn't we couldn't live as well as we do, Lily. I've managed and twisted and turned things all my married life, to make some kind of a showing among our friends. . . . And I made up my mind years ago that you'd never have to do it! I made up my mind that you'd marry money or I'd know the reason why!"

The automobile salesman came up to her and she began to tell him what she wanted in the way of a car, and how much she would pay down on it, and when she would pay the rest.

Lily listened to her in awe and admiration. . . . She surely was a wonderful manager!

CHAPTER XI.

THE next day was the tenth of May. It was one of those glorious blue-and-green-and-gold days of spring. A day of warm wind and blazing sunshine.

Montpelier road, with its green lawns, its beds of gay spring flowers, its budding trees and green-and-white houses, looked like a strip of hand-blocked cretonne to Lily when she opened her eyes and sat up in bed, looking out of the windows of her room.

Outside in the lilac bushes a robin was singing, and somewhere in the middle-distance, another robin was answering it.

It certainly was no day to lie a-bed, and Lily found herself eager to get up and get dressed and get out into the brightness of it.

At 9 o'clock she walked into the dining room.

"Well, wonders will never cease!" her mother exclaimed, looking up from her poached eggs on toast and her morning paper. "This must be the first time in a year that you've come down to breakfast, Lily Lexington!"

Lily laughed and sat down in her father's empty chair.

"Dad gone already?" she asked, and Mrs. Lexington nodded.

"The new man took him a while ago," she said. "If he drives as well as he looks, he'll be all right. . . . He's a handsome young fellow."

Lily held out a wrist to have her cuff ribbon tied.

One of her few virtues was that she never went around the house looking sloppy and down at the heel the way so many women do in the morning.

If she used cold cream on her face she put it on at night and took it all off before anyone saw her the next morning. If she came down to breakfast in kimono and slippers they were always attractive ones.

And on this particular May morning she was as clean and fresh and fragrant as spring itself. Her pale yellow silk stockings matched her silk smock, and her red-gold hair lay in damp little ringlets around her forehead.

"Well, a month from today my girl will be Staley Drummond's wife," said Mrs. Lexington, pouring her a cup of coffee.

She looked across the table with love and pride and satisfaction in her gray eyes that usually were so cold. "I know you're going to be happy," she said tenderly. "Just think — Paris and London for a honeymoon! And then coming back to Staley's country house for the summer! You're getting just what I've always wanted for you, Lily! Just what I've never had — enough money so you'll never have to worry where your next fur coat or automobile is coming from."

"Yes, Mother," said Lily, in a good little voice that might have belonged to the saintly heroine of the "Elsie" books.

She said it almost without thinking. She wasn't doing very much thinking these days. She was just going ahead with the thing she had made up her mind to do—to marry Staley and have the luxurious kind of life she had longed for when she married.

Since that flareup of rebellion and passionate longing the night she had dragged herself out of bed to get Pat France's picture from her dressing table, she had been more or less contented and resigned to the idea of marrying Staley. . . . After all, how could she fail to be happy when she had money to buy all the clothes and furs and cosmetics she wanted? When she had two beautiful homes and two powerful automobiles, and a husband who adored the very carpets that she walked upon?

From behind the house came the shrill, loud sound of someone whistling a popular song called "Mine."

Mrs. Lexington frowned, listening to it. "That must be the new chauffeur," she said. "I didn't hear him drive in. My goodness, he shouldn't whistle like that, right under the bedroom windows! You're usually asleep at this time of the morning."

"I'll go and speak to him," said Lily, who rarely offered to do anything around the house. But she was curious to see the new driver. Her mother had said he was good looking, and Lily never was wholly indifferent to a good-looking man—not even now, with her wedding less than a month off.

(To be Continued.)

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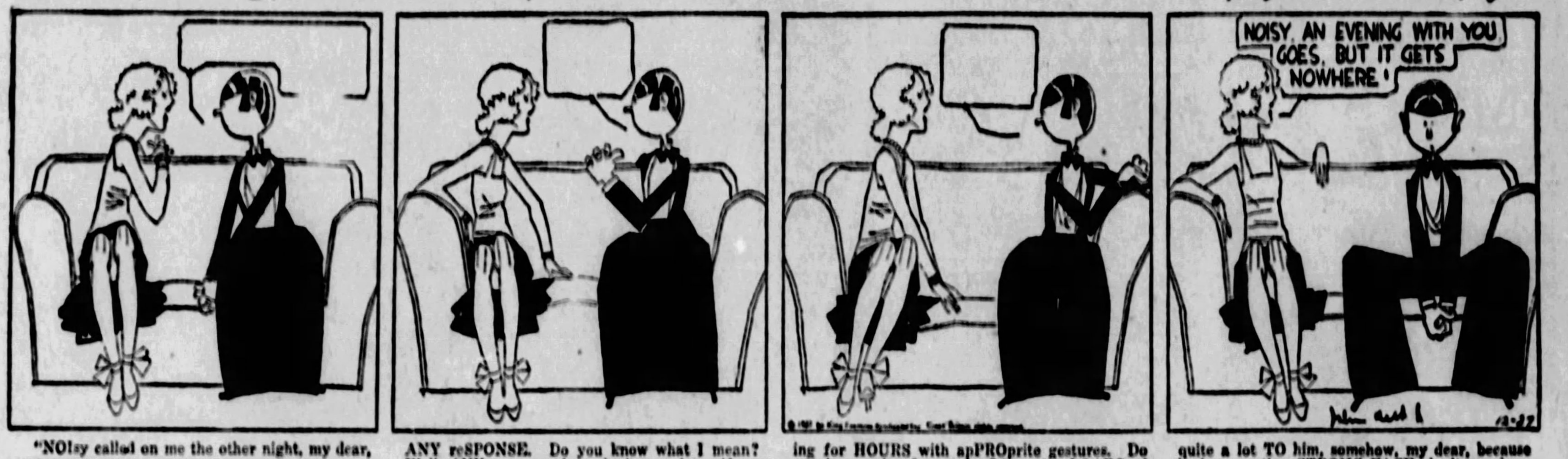
Merely Margy, An Awfully Sweet Girl

Story by Lloyd Mayer

By John Held, Jr.


NOISY, AN EVENING WITH YOU GOES, BUT IT GETS NOWHERE!
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"NOIsy called on me the other night, my dear, and I ACtually thought I'd have hysTERics because we just sort of SAT HEAVILY all EVEning—you know the type! I mean I HONestly think I'll go MAD if he doesn't reGAIN the POWer of SPEECH because it's too HECtic to TALK on and ON to anybody without getting ANY reSPONSE. Do you know what I mean? Well, ANYways, my dear, don't you s'pose if we could sort of get him to see a chiROPodist or something and have his SPINE massaged it might make him CApable of BACK talk or something? Because the way it IS it ACtually gives me the WILlies to sort of SIT VAGUEly with him and have him simply STARE at you and say NOTHing for HOURS with apPROprite gestures. Do you know what I mean? Of course, LOADS of men are terribly DUMB, my dear, and there are HEAPS of boys I know who would be FAR better OFF if they never said ANYthing because every time they open their MOUTH they show their IGnorance along with their TEETH, but I've ALways had the IDEA that NOisy prob'ly had quite a lot TO him, somehow, my dear, because he has a rather STRONG FACE, don't you honestly think he HAS, my dear? I mean I think he's HEAPS more VIRile-looking than ARab, sort of, only it makes me so MAD I could spit TACKS just to have him SIT luGUBriously and LOOK at me because I think it's TERribly uncompliMENtary, sort of—I ACtually DO!"

LOVE'S EMBERS by Adele Garrison

Absorbing Sequel to "Revelations of a Wife"

Interplay of Heredity Threatens a Deep Friendship

FOR several minutes, while the very air of the shabby hotel room seemed alive—throbbing—with memories, Lillian and I sat with hands tightly clasped as our minds went back over the years of our close friendship and our guarding of her winsome young daughter. It was as if my outwardly firm, but inwardly quaking, comment that she was wrapping Marion in cotton wool and handicapping her for life in the world, had opened the floodgates of memory upon us.

Finally with the realization that too long dwelling upon those vanished days would be good for neither of us, I took my hand from hers and leaned back in my chair trying to achieve a casual air.

"Suppose we bid the memories au revoir for a while," I suggested, knowing full well, however, that if I fulfilled my promise to Philip Veritzen I must lead her back to another phase of painful recollection, that of her association with Harry Underwood, who legally was still her husband. "There still is a question between us which I want answered. Surely, Lillian, you are not going to keep Marion and yourself away from the farmhouse this year, after all the summers we have spent together?"

She waited for a long minute before answering me, her eyes apparently fixed upon something beyond me. Then she threw up her head with a characteristic little gesture which I knew meant sudden resolve.

"I will be very frank with you," she said. "Until you told me what you did about Mary's intended confession to Philip Veritzen, I was resolved that I would not have Marion to close association with her, even if it cost me your friendship, and—I think you know what that would mean to me."

"Just a second," I said, holding up a protesting hand, "until we get that point cleared up. I'll not deny that such an action would have made me angry, and I should have questioned your judgment—but—do you imagine for one second that I would have let a decision that you had made concerning your daughter interfere with the loyalty and love I bear—and owe—you?"

"You owe me nothing," she said impatiently. "Don't ever use those words again. But I'll admit I was speaking a bit rhetorically. I didn't seriously believe anything could come between us. But that didn't alter my opinion about Mary. She seemed to me a most dangerous companion for Marion because of these things."

She held up her hand, her beautiful, facile artist's hand, and checked on her fingers the points she was making. It is a childish gesture to which she invariably resorts when she is deeply moved.

"In the first place, Mary Harrison's early training makes it almost impossible for her to possess anything but a warped sense of truth or honor."

I knew only too well what she meant. There have been, I hope, few mothers like Elizabeth Harrison, with her strange, perverted, hypocritical discipline which made liars of her children, but the remembrance of a heartbroken cry of Mary's which I once had heard moved me to protest.

"Don't say, 'almost impossible.'"

"I know that's too strong," she admitted. "But if I say 'most difficult' instead, will you agree with me?"

"Ye-es," I said, "but, on the other hand, no one realizes the handicap of that early training more than does Mary, although she never utters a single word which would reflect upon her dead mother. But I once heard her cry heartbrokenly, if slangily: 'I've told lies and deceived people all my life since I was a little thing. I can't remember when I didn't do it. There's a wrong streak running through me, I guess, just as Marion Morton couldn't do anything mean to save her life. Gosh, how I envy that girl! It must be pretty soft to have things tugging the right way inside your soul instead of the wrong way.'"

Then, having sped the best arrow in my quiver, I settled back to watch it find its mark.

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Polly Aloft

"Pretty Polly" is one of the latest fads in the way of an ornamental pin with which to trim the small felt hat. "Le Perroquet," as this pin is called, 's a little flat pasted parrot of vari-colored feathers. The pin attachment at the back is so placed that, when the little bird is pinned to the hat the effect is as flat as if it were an appliqued motif.

What's the Answer?

1. What is "patois"?
2. What is a "top-kick" in army parlance?
3. Who is the Irish playwright who wrote "The Devil's Disciple"?
4. To what kind of flying insect is the common name "Monarch" attached?
5. Which great Italian poet was the lover of Laura?
6. What is a trapezium?
7. How did the gypsy moth get to America?
8. Who invented the revolver?
9. What is Sevres?
10. Who wrote "The Rape of the Lock"?

The answers to these questions may be found in tomorrow's paper.

Here are the answers to Saturday's questions.

1. "Dame schools" was small schools taught by New England women in their homes.
2. The ancient Peruvians used knotted cords as a substitute for writing. No one has been able to decipher any example of it.
3. Ninon de Lenclos was a beautiful Parisienne of the seventeenth century, who abandoned herself to indulgence and preserved her charms to a very advanced age.
4. Francis Beaumont and John Fletcher were two Elizabethan dramatists who are famous for the work they did in collaboration.
5. The Saar Basin is economically important on account of its rich coal deposits.
6. Griselda is the heroine of Boccaccio and Chaucer noted for her patient obedience to her husband.
7. The Latin expression "Ave atque vale" means "Hail and farewell."
8. Eugene Sandow was a professional "strong man."
9. Dwight Lyman Moody and Ira David Sankey were two American evangelists of the nineteenth century who worked together for many years.
10. Nome is in Alaska.

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FOR THE LOVELORN

Angry Sixteen

DEAR MISS GALE:

I have an elder sister who is continually bossing me. I can't do anything, say anything, or go any place that she doesn't have something to inform me about the evils of it. I think it's perfectly all right to pet, smoke and drink in moderation. But if I do it my sister acts terribly. I can't have a boy in the house that she doesn't have some excuse to be in the room all the time, even if the boy doesn't pet, but happens to touch my hand accidentally she flies off the handle in front of him. She is continually preaching against petting and other things like that. If I come in at 2 or 3 in the morning she is up waiting for me, and no matter how tired I am she is all set for a lecture and I've got to sit by till she's through. She thinks I'm penitent, but I'm really as mad as hops. It's funny, but I have a father and mother and neither of them acts that way. Really, Miss Gale, I'm getting desperate. Please answer this soon.

Gratefully,

ANGRY SIXTEEN.

It is a good thing that one member of your family takes it upon herself to see that you behave yourself, my dear. Your hours are much too late for your years, and your sister is quite right in remonstrating with you.

Curious

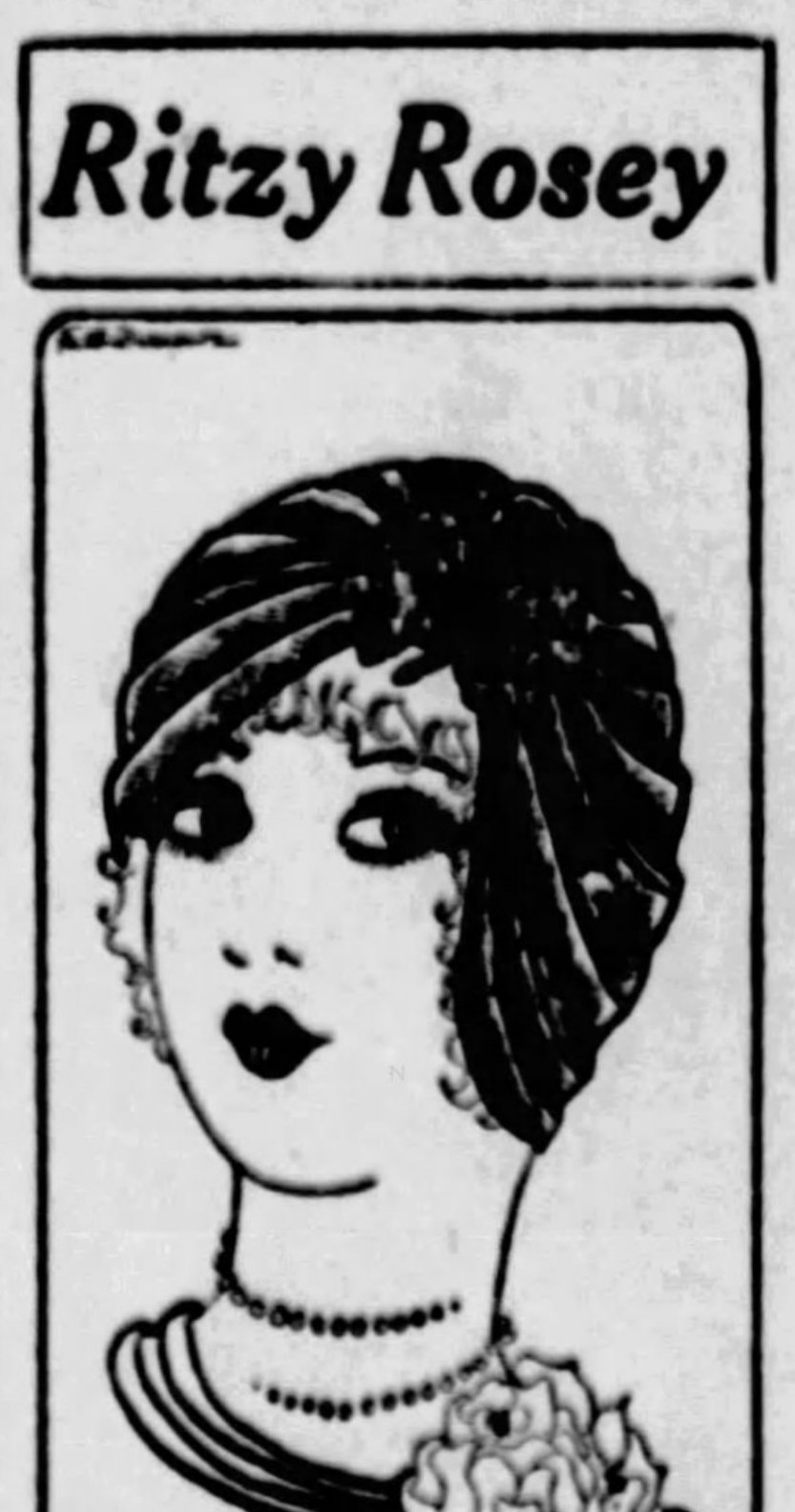
DEAR MISS GALE:

I am a girl of 16 and go with a fellow 20. Do you think he is too old for me? He is going to bring a friend with him the next time he comes. Should I go out with his friend? This boy I am going with just graduated from high school. Would it be all right if I would ask this boy for his graduation picture, for I sure would like to have it, as I love him dearly. He asked me to marry him, but I said "No," that I was too young. Was my answer correct? I think it was. I am very popular with both sexes, but especially the boys, for I go out with every one in this town. Miss Gale, would it be all right for this boy and I to exchange gifts at Christmas as we have been going together for five months. Miss Gale, how could I get acquainted with a fellow that lives a little ways out of our town? He was to see me twice. The one night he came I would not go with him and the next night I was away, and one Sunday afternoon I was to meet him and did not do it. Do you think he got mad because I disappointed him? I think the first fellow is the one for me, and I think you do, too. He does not drink, smoke or pet, and I am glad of that. Miss Gale, what makes girls smoke and carry on as they do? I know I drank, smoked and did not get in till 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning, but there was no fun in it as I saw.

CURIOUS.

You are quite right in believing yourself too young to marry, and you are also too young to be going out so much with boys. Don't ask this boy for his picture. If he wants you to have it he will give it to you. I have no doubt this other boy is angry with you, and I don't blame him. It seems to me that you are acquainted with him already, so I cannot understand your question.

Ritzy Rosey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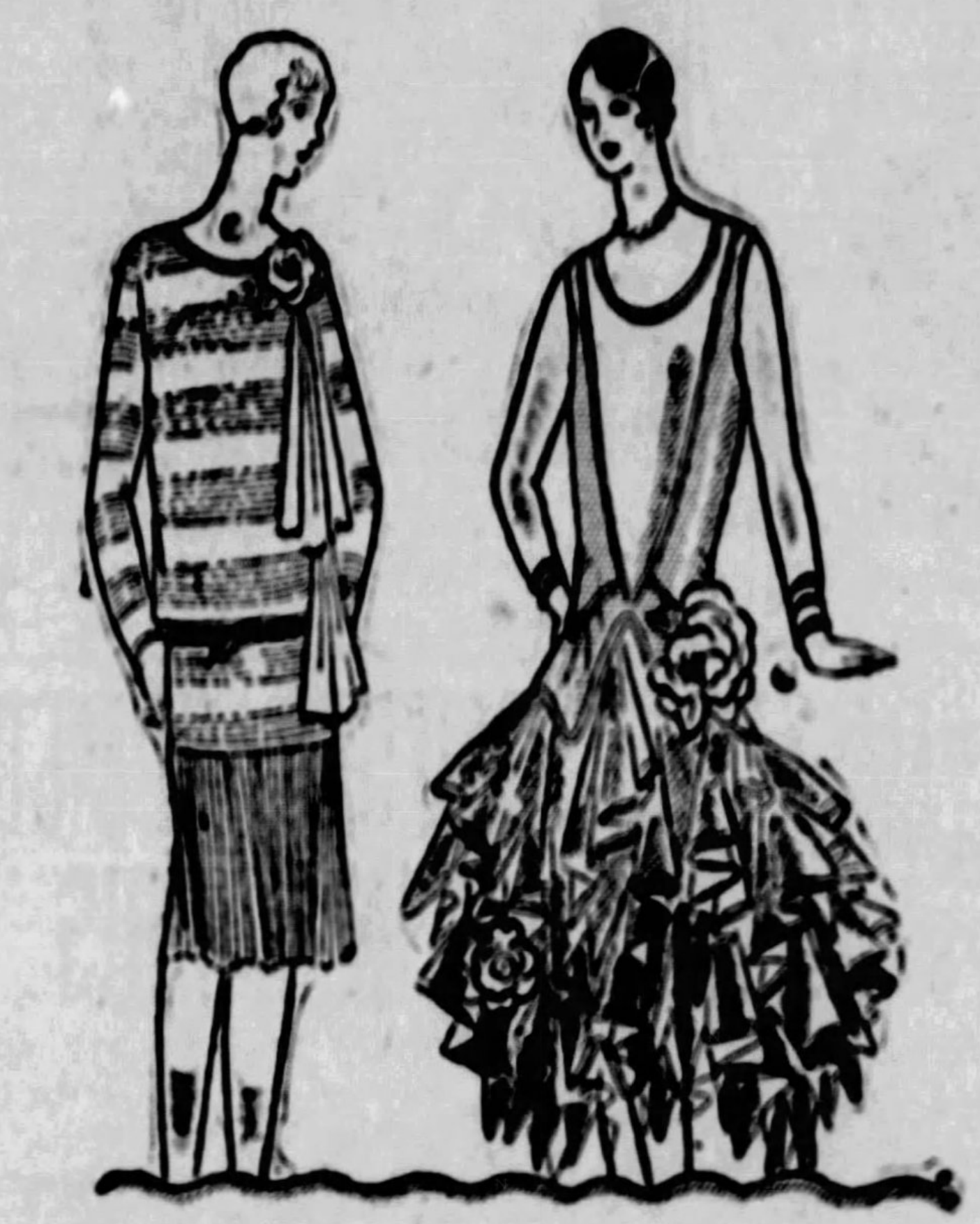

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Oriental Tragedy in Alvin, Manhattan Marriage in Pitt, Thrill and Amuse Playgoers

By GEORGE SEIBEL

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SHANGHAI and Manhattan showed Pittsburgh yesterday what a sad and mad world this is—even on Christmas day, when everything ought to be happy and peaceful, But happiness and peace have little place in drama, A drama is somebody's troubles, whether it ends at the altar or at the halter, So it is in the two theaters offering legitimate dramatic fare this week, The Alvin Theater has a colorful and gruesome Chinese tragedy, "The Shanghai Gesture," in which Florence Reed gives a new twist to the ancient role of Medea, The Pitt Theater has a pathetic and amusing exhibition of matrimonial infelicity superinduced by dirty dishes and unpaid bills, The Oriental Medea solves her troubles by bloody vengeance; the New York couple declare a truce by making a new bid for romance—and such is life, and life is the stuff out of which drama is fashioned, whether in Shanghai or Gotham,

"The Shanghai Gesture" gives Florence Reed an opportunity to play Medea in gorgeous Chinese robes and with staccato English utterance, For Playwright John Colton has done simply this—taken the old plot of the deserted woman who finds her revenge in the destruction of her lover's flesh and blood, which is also her own, and translated this plot into oriental terms. We have a variation of the same plot in the opera of "Rigoletto" and the old drama of "The Fool's Revenge," and it always furnishes tense situations and harrowing climaxes, In "The Shanghai Gesture" the audience is spared no shock or suspense. It is stark tragedy, spiced with heavy lust. The scene is laid in a Shanghai bagnio; it is the Chinese New Year, when all Chinese pay their debts; and the queen of this evil realm, cynical "Mother Goddam," is preparing to pay off the debt she owes to an Englishman who loved and deserted her 20 years before.

Mother Goddam invites her ancient lover to her New Year's feast, and also invites the other eminent personages of the foreign colony. Then she reveals her identity, and conducts an auction in which a white girl, his daughter, is sold to coolie bidders for her body. The guests are outraged by this proceeding, but she carries it through, and in the next act the white girl is shown in a suspended cage like the other inmates of the bagnio. Meanwhile her own daughter is coming to the bagnio to meet her lover, a depraved Japanese prince, and when Mother Goddam realizes that she has doomed her own child to a deeper shame than the child of the Englishwoman, her dagger ends the play by killing Poppy, turning the revenge upon herself.

Whether so much rottenness could be gathered under one roof, even in Shanghai, is a question for the League of Nations to discuss at Geneva, but granted that there is not a single respectable character in a cast of 20, Dramatist Colton has extracted all the cynicism and shudders that are in so many bundles of corruption. Two particularly vivid portrayals are given by C. Henry Gordon as Prince Oshima and Mary Fowler as Poppy. Percy Waram as the lover who deserted the Manchu princess 20 years before gave a very convincing portrayal; while marvelous character bits were shown by Henry Warwick, Charles Mather, Frank Hotaling and J. Carrol Nash.

The figure of Mother Goddam, however, dominates everything in her sinister and fierce obsession. Florence Reed has created a female counterpart to the memorable figure of Zakkuri in Belasco's "Darling of the Gods," played by George Arliss in this same cynical and staccato vein. Craft and cruelty, a composite of spider and cat, make the character a creepy credibility despite the insistent doubts of human nature, whether such things can be outside of Greek tragedy or grand opera. Miss Reed makes us believe in the horror by her uncanny art.

The oriental setting—the heavy atmosphere of gorgeous and evil luxury—furnish the proper background for this story of lust and revenge. Penetrating incense fills the theater, the Chinese lacquer work and pottery and hangings on the stage must have cost a young fortune, and everything has that mystical and exotic effluvium which makes the grewsome fairy tale grip the heartstrings of the audience. It is like some chapter from the Arabian Nights, like some nightmare of barbaric luxury, in which everything is possible—and the little trials and troubles of young America in Manhattan seem like the mere chatter of magpies.

"Saturday's Children" is the domestic comedy at the Pitt, cut by Playwright Maxwell Anderson over the favorite pattern of George Kelly, This is the hall-bedroom and kitchen sink school of drama, in which the props come from the corner grocer, the radiator dispenses a genial glow, the members of the family tell each other what they think of each other, and newspapers shield the men folks from a critical feminine constituency. In other words "Saturday's Children" is a picture of life as it is lived "until death do us part." And it must be admitted that Playwright Anderson has drawn his picture with much intimate and therefore amusing detail. Here is a play that will interest everybody who has bills to pay, everybody who doesn't adore his wife's relatives, everybody who wants to live his own life, everybody who, like "Saturday's Children," has to work hard for a living. Which means, reversing the gender of the pronoun to include the ladies, nearly everybody.

The play rings true, especially the first two acts. Hardly a phase of character, hardly a line of dialogue, that doesn't give the impression of a transcript from life. This is partly due to the admirable playing of an admirably balanced cast, four of the half-dozen being the same that made the play a New York hit. Especially commendable is the work of Ruth Gordon as the flappish heroine, greensick and petulant—an "egg," her sister calls her, "because she's so unhatched." Miss Gordon gave a very veracious portrayal of the girl who doesn't know what she wants, doesn't know how to get it, doesn't know what to do with it, and finds her chief happiness in being miserable. There is hardly a false note in Miss Gordon's acting, not even in the somewhat artificial third act.

The other outstanding figure is that of the girl's father, played by Frederick Perry with convincing finesse. This modern Socrates, who has acquired all his philosophy too late for his own use, dispenses it to his daughter and the audience in generous portions which are both edifying and amusing. He is almost too wise to be human.

The scheming elder sister, played by Ruth Hammond, is the third member of the group, and her husband, played by Richard Barbee, the fourth—they are true types, seen with photographic perspicuity and bodied forth with lifelike realism. She knows what she wants, how to get it, how to keep it—and he interprets that algebraic X in perfectly obvious fashion.

The lover and husband, played originally by Roger Pryor, is now taken by Humphrey Bogart, who fills every requirement of the part. It is not a character that compels admiration, but he wins a certain amount of sympathy at least. That is about as much as the people in a modern domestic comedy can aspire to at best. For they have to live with one another, and endure the most atrocious wallpapers, and they never get to eat the meals that are often in process of preparation, and unwelcome company is always butting in when there has been any seismic disturbance. The audience felt sympathy for the lover and husband, and all of "Saturday's Children," even as they laughed at their blind blunders and futile flurries—for such is life in Manhattan and elsewhere, not as torrid and bloody as Shanghai, but just as remote from Mendelssohn's Spring Song.

"Hello 1928" New Stage Show In Penn

The stage bill in the Penn this week is blended into a entertaining revue, titled "Hello, 1928." Dave Harman and his Recording Orchestra and the Penn Rockets, held over from last week, present new and interesting programs. A number of newcomers also are on hand and help to make the show pleasing. One of these is George Washington Dewey, and he can dance. There are a couple of other dancers also—Bemis and Brown. These two offer some eccentric steps, including a collegiate number. Breen Brothers, appear in a novel presentation. On the screen John Gilbert and Greta Garbo present romance as only those two can. Their picture, an entertaining one, entitled "Love," is based on Tolstoi's "Anna Karenina." The story of the tragic Anna is one that is filled with tense human interest. An organlogue and short film entertainment complete the bill.

"ONCE AND FOREVER" IS FILM IN CAMERAPHONE

The principal attraction in the Cameraphone this week is "Once and Forever," which presents a dramatic story of adolescent love. The locale is France and the time of action is before, during and after the World War. The cast features John Harron and Patsy Ruth Miller. Other players are Burr McIntosh, Emily Fitzroy and Adele Watson. Short screen entertainment, including a comedy and news pictures, complete the bill.

Elaborate Comedy Act Feature in Sheridan

An elaborate comedy act, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," presented by a cast of eight men, each a specialist in comedy characterization, song or dance, was the feature among the stage acts of the bill of vaudeville and photoplays presented as the holiday attraction in the Sheridan Square yesterday. It won the approval of the crowds. On the screen Olive Borden was featured in "Pajamas," a modern conception of an old-fashioned way with women, harking back to caveman tactics. Fries and Wilson presented comedy songs. Hugh Wilson and Charlotte Dobson created laughs in a skit, "Suburban Knights." Novel feats in a new way introduced Betts and partner. Mildred Fealey's songs were liked. Also on the screen were a comedy and other attractions, the bill being completed by an organlogue.

DRAMATIC SKETCH IS ON OLYMPIC PROGRAM

The introduction of a dramatic sketch, "The Lash," having to do with a man wrongly imprisoned, adds variety to the new Vitaphone bill in the Olympic. Other Vitaphone presentations are offered by the Cruse Brothers, comedians and musicians, and by Knight MacGregor, musical show and concert baritone. The photoplay feature is "Pajamas," starring Olive Borden. It has to do with a society girl of wealth, who meets plenty of adventure before "landing" the man of her dreams. She rides airplanes, gets stranded in the Canadian Rockies and such. News pictures are shown.

Christmas Week -:- Entertainers -:- In Our Theaters

RUTH GORDON heads cast of "Saturday's Children," comedy attraction at the Pitt Theater.

JULIUS TANNEN, suave comedian of Earl Carroll "Vanities," in the Nixon.

JULIAN ELTINGE, portrayer of femininity, vaudeville headliner at the Davis,

FLORENCE REED, who is star of "The Shanghai Gesture," being presented in the Alvin Theater.

Earl Carroll's "Vanities" Bring Girls and Glitter and Comedy to Stage of Nixon

By WILLIAM J. LEWIS

EARL CARROLL'S sixth edition of his "Vanities" came to the Nixon last night, bringing a lot of glittering spangles to add to the tinsel show of Christmastide and it is believed the electric lights on the Christmas trees glowing so bravely in many front yards and living rooms of homes had few spectators, judging from the size of the audience in the Nixon—as well as other theaters last night. Mr. Carroll's latest show is mostly girls and glitter. There is comedy, of course, and some songs, of course, but the girls and glitter predominate. The songs lack melody so that part of the show can be dismissed with the statement that they serve to introduce the girls in various novel surroundings.

The comedy is not all new but that which is fresh is thoroughly amusing. Not more so, however, than the old japes and jests that are turned loose once again by the featured comics, Moran and Mack, "The Two Black Crows," Johnny Dooley and Julius Tannen. They all know what goes well with audiences and the Nixon audience got just as much enjoyment from the ancient wheezes that were sprinkled among the comicalities as they did from the new jokes. Moran and Mack appeared in two scenes, one representing them as prisoners indolently tapping rocks and being actually surprised when one stone actually broke from a gentle blow. Their chatter, familiar through repetition on the vaudeville stage and through the phonograph, got as many laughs as though it never had been heard before. That is showmanship and Moran and Mack are real showmen.

The genial Mr. Tannen acted as introducer, appearing between scenes to speak, relevantly or irrelevantly, but always humorously, about the scene to follow, and he, too, was a general favorite with the audience. Dooley had more work to do than anybody else in the show and his eccentricities were the cause of much hilarity. He did a "slow motion" finish as an ending of one of his bits of foolery and that was one of the things the audience liked. Another was a paper-hanging scene with Cliff Crane as his assistant in which paste was messed all over everything, as you might expect, with farcical effect.

Now for the girls. They are good looking as a whole and among them was a group of dancers known as the Foster Girls, who danced well in that unision which characterizes the Tiller girls. There were 24 of them and they won applause at their every appearance. The dancing chorus and the "show girls" appeared in gorgeous costumes when they were costumed at all and they all had part in the various spectacular scenes, some of which were most unusual, calling for the employment of mechanical devices that suspended beautiful lasses in the air or whirled them about as on a merry-go-round.

Specialty dancers included Cliff Crane, Maxine and Charles Stone and Frances Marchant, all of whom were skilful in their own particular style of stepping. Bryan McDonald, Pittsburgh tenor, sang the leading parts in the big scenic presentations introduced by vocalizing and Isabell Mohr, who has a very pleasing voice, performed the same service in the feminine parts.

As a whole the show was immensely pleasing and it was a gorgeous example of just what it was intended to be—girls and glitter.

"Girls of Follies" Burlesque in Academy

"Girls from the Follies" is this week's burlesque in the Academy. Several of the scenes are elaborate and the costumes are in good taste. Fred "Falls" Binder, kept the audience at the opening show in a good humor with his antics. Jack Quinlan and Bob Snyder aiding him in the fun-making. "The Cave Man" and "The Night Club" pleased. Gladys Youth Clark entertained with vocal numbers and played instrumental numbers, her clarinet solo being well received. Wava White sang "Sixty Seconds" and Lolita gave an impersonation of a Spanish belle. A curbstone jazz band was one of the amusing bits of burlesque presented. Oriental specialties and Reggie White, with her 10 dancing girls, completed the show.

LOTS OF COMEDY IN GAYETY

Holiday crowds yesterday found amusement performances of "Foolin' Around," the new Columbia burlesque piece in the Gayety. The show has lots of comedy, music and a rather attractive chorus of girls. Bill Moran is the chief comic. He and his co-partner in laughs, Al Wiser, appear in a number of skits and collect the chuckles. One of their best is a hat store scene, in which they toss the stock around—boomerang fashion. There are plenty of songs in the show. Leading the chorus in the majority of vocal specialties are Mary Harrelson, Ralph Vincent, Esther Winters, Donna Monrose and Jeanne Steele. Lew Lewis helps with the songs and also with the comedy. There are about 25 scenes and specialties in the production. Interesting interludes include the before-the-curtain chatter of Moran and Harry L. Beasley.

MUSIC, COMEDY IN HARRIS

Interesting vaudeville and screen entertainment is given in the holiday week bill in the Harris. The stage portion of the program is headed by "The Original Honey Boys" in an act, "A Bee-Hive Full of Honey." This is an act of pleasing melody and comedy, recalling the old minstrel days. The presentation is named after that king of minstrel men, "Honey Boy" Evans. A number of the players appeared in the old Evans show. A. L. Wilson spins some good stories and sings a couple of songs. A quartet of girls, billed as The Compolitan Four, show versatility by playing stringed instruments and singing at the same time. Bill and Sherrie Mathews offer a comedy skit. A rather novel aerial exhibition is presented by Nick Bellis and sister. The stage bill also offers Little Miss Mystic. Frankie Darro, capable juvenile star, appears on the screen in "Little Mickey Grogan," a story of New York's East Side. Jobyna Ralston, who is remembered as Harold Lloyd's former leading woman, is featured. Short film entertainment and an organlogue complete the bill.

Laughs on Screen And Dancing In Grand

With Colleen Moore, in "Her Wild Oat," on the screen, and Los Morenos & Co., in a musical and dancing act on the stage, the Grand yesterday presented good entertainment to the holiday throngs which attended every show in that theater. "Her Wild Oat" is a real comedy with a lot of hilarity, somewhat illogical but scoring high in the merriment classification. It tells of the escapade of a little lunch counter girl who saved her money to spend a few days at a fashionable resort, is rebuffed by the high-toned guests, poses as a duchess to obtain recognition, taking a name that seemed unreal only to find there are a real duke and duchess of the same name—and that they are coming to the hotel. Plenty of fun develops from this situation. Larry Kent was the likeable leading man. The performance of the Morenos was given in a Spanish atmosphere. News pictures and other films and a special overture made up of Christmas airs completed a pleasing program.

"THE FOUR FLUSHERS" PHOTOPLAY IN CAMEO

"The Four Flushers," a comedy romance, is the current film in the Cameo. George Lewis, who rose to popularity through his portrayals in the "Collegians" series of short screen plays, is featured. He has the role of a shoe clerk who makes good in the business world in spite of numerous faults, and who, as you may have suspected, wins the girl. The cast includes Marion Nixon, Churchill Ross, Hayden Stevenson and Eddie Phillips. A short comedy, "The Newlyweds' Christmas Party," two yuletide novelty reels and news pictures also are on the bill.

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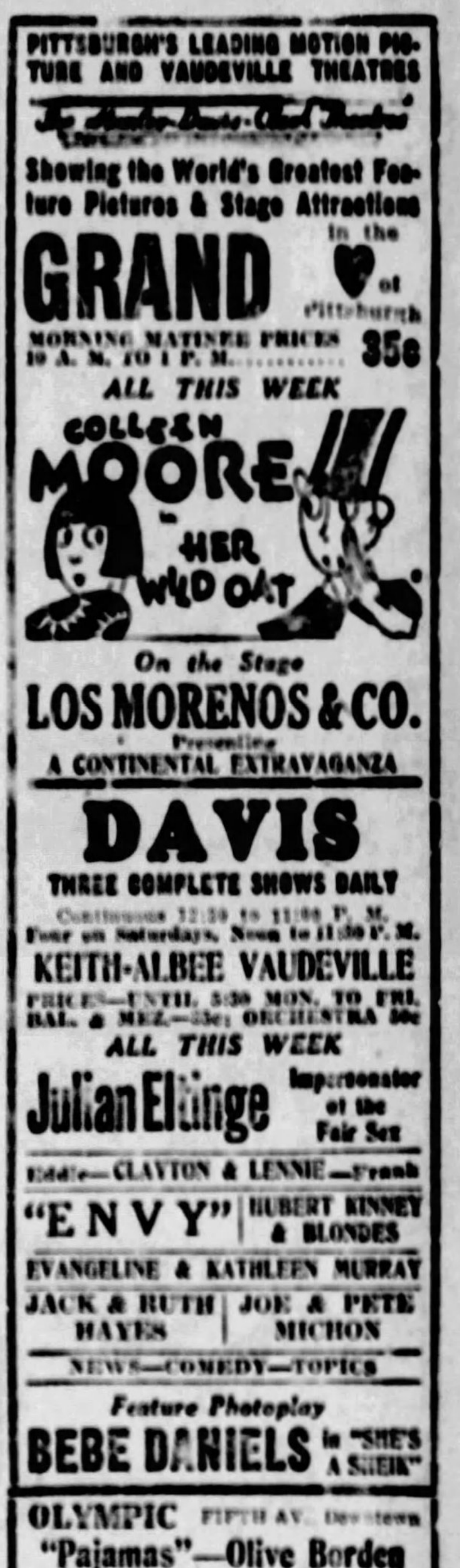
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CHRISTMAS IN CELL

VELMA WEST MRS. B. L. VAN WOERT

Waiting grand jury action for the murder of her husband, T. Edward West in their Perry, O., "honeymoon cottage," Velma West, 21, spent her Christmas behind the bars of Lake County jail, Painesville, O. The bright spot of her day was a little Christmas tree, which her mother, Mrs. B. L. Van Woert, brought to her cell and decorated with gay ornaments. Mrs. West confessed killing her husband with a hammer. She then drove to Cleveland, where she was arrested, for a bridge party.

Hammer Killer Has Tree in Jail Cell

By Universal Service.

PAINESVILLE, O., Dec. 27.—Though accused of an atrocious crime in the killing of her husband, T. Edward West, with a hammer, the world did not pass Velma West by on Christmas Day.

Sheriff Rasmussen installed a two-foot Christmas tree in her cell and strung colored bulbs among its branches. His wife helped Mrs. West decorate it with tinsel and trinkets.

Weeping at first as the tree emphasized she must spend the holidays behind bars, the prisoner eventually brightened and even sang a few notes as she busied herself adjusting the lights.

"I always have had my Christmas tree at home and I'm so glad I can have one even here," she said. "I had hoped to be home long before Christmas."

Her reference was to a hope of a fortnight ago that the court in preliminary hearing would release her on her story of self-defense. Instead, she was bound to the grand jury without bail on a charge of murder in the first degree. Her case will go before that body January 9 and she will be tried in February.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Van Woertz, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Young, all of East Cleveland, sent her the only gifts she received, a sweater, a pair of slippers and a box of candy.

STAGE AND SCREEN

ELTINGE GOOD IN DAVIS

Julian Eltinge characterized feminine types with the usual Eltinge artistry as the headline feature of the Keith-Albee vaudeville in the Davis yesterday. He had good songs to fit the types he portrayed, the most pleasing being "An Old-Fashioned Girl." In the matter of dress, his act, which pleased, was richer than it has been in several seasons. Hubert Kinney and a couple of blonde cuties gave a dancing act that stirred the audience to enthusiasm, especially in the finale, with Kinney giving an amazing repetition of lofty kicks in great rapidity. Eddie Clayton and Frank Lenine were the comedy high spot and kept the audience in a roar over the attempt of an American to obtain a chocolate sundae in London only to find too late that it could have been obtained had he ordered a Piccadilly punch. Jack and Ruth Hayes, in "The City Chap and the Country Girl," delivered amusing repartee, ending with a funny dance. Joe and Pete Micham, in comedy and songs and Evangeline and Kathleen Murray helped to put the "merry" into a merry Christmas bill of higher-than-average quality. On the screen Bebe Daniels revealed herself as a feminine Douglas Fairbanks in "She's a Sheik," leaping and climbing and even fighting a duel. The picture is a combination of farce and burlesque, with a lot of comedy and lively moments.

DANCERS HEAD ALDINE BILL

Holiday crowds enjoyed the Aldine vaudeville bill yesterday. Joe Fanton opened the bill by vaulting high into the air blindfolded, when a sandbag hit a springboard. He was good in some other tricks also, as were two supporting players. Next came a couple of boys—Hart and Wagner—who, assisted by Lela, managed to win lots of laughs. It was the baldheaded boy, with the "arclight" tie pin, that put the act over. Steel and Winslow, one tall and one little, gave an amusing travesty on classical dancing done on roller skates. Burt and Rosedale mixed melody and nonsense and won some applause. The headline act was presented by Irene Swor and William Seabury, dancers, assisted by Ken Whitemere and his musicians. Ken was the feature, playing more than a half dozen musical instruments, ranging from a saxophone and banjo to a piano. Jackie Coogan appeared on the screen as a bellboy on an ocean liner in his latest photoplay, "Buttons." Short film features completed the bill.

PITTSBURGHER KILLED BY TRAIN AT CONEMAUGH

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 27.—Joseph Gentile, 40, of Pittsburgh, died Sunday in Cambria Hospital here from injuries suffered Saturday when he was struck by a Pennsylvania Railroad express train in front of the station at Conemaugh. He was on his way to visit friends in Conemaugh.

THE DIVORCE MILL

SAYS MATE LOAFS

"What was your husband's occupation?"

The question was directed to Rose Resole, Third street, Sharpsburg, who is suing her husband, Michael Resole, for divorce.

"Loafing," replied Mrs. Resole.

SLAPPED HIS FACE

His wife slapped his face in public places, threw a skillet filled with meat at him and cut his arm with a knife, William Barr, Jr., of Versailles testified in his divorce hearing against Margaret S. Barr of Knight street, McKeesport. The wife also was accused of visiting public parks and of going automobile riding with other men. Barr said his meals often were not prepared and once when he remonstrated with his wife, she threw coffee in his face. The Barrs were married in 1922 and separated in 1925.

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Up to $69 Sports-type Coats $39.50 — Fashioned of imported tweeds, tapestry effects, mixtures—with collars of Jap Fox, Badger, Civet Cat and Beaver—some with long shawls and matching cuffs, others in mushroom style.

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Smartly styled, warm coats for the 2-to-6-year-olds; some are tailored modes, some are trimmed with fur; in the most popular of the season's shades.
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Silk, jersey, Georgette and velvet frocks, combinations of silk-and-velvet, silk-and-jersey; in clever styles trimmed with hand work; in several shades. Sizes 2 to 6 years.
Children's Hats—
$1.00 $1.95 $2.95
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Suits—Single- or double-breasted, two- or three-button models in new youthful effects and in reserved styles for men conservatively inclined. Hard finished worsteds, unfinished worsteds, cassimeres, twists, tweeds and twills.
(McCreery—Seventh Floor)

Natural Colors for Pictures

FILMS can, it is stated, be projected on the screen in their natural colors by means of a new invention adaptable to any apparatus and costing only $10. The inventor is a Belgian.

Magazine Page

London Bridge Is Twenty-one

THE Thames flows for 23 miles through the County of London. There are 21 bridges across it and nine tunnels underneath, two of the latter being for road and foot passengers.

Day After Christmas

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

MERRY Christmas! How quickly it flew by—how swiftly and sweetly!

And now Yuletide, 1927, with its laughter and love, its bright lights, jollity and good cheer, has joined the dim procession of those other Christmas Days past and gone, leaving memories inexpressibly happy and tender, or perhaps sad. For Christmas is not always happy for all of us. There are children with empty stockings and lonely girls and and young men with empty hearts!

But it is safe to state that the great majority of us had a merry Christmas—a day bright with gifts of love! How we save up happiness for this one day! How we work and plan, deny ourselves, think unselfishly for others to make Christmas a success! At last comes a huge explosion of joy on Christmas Day! It leaves us breathless and a little dull by comparison the day after Christmas and every succeeding day.

The Christmas tree still stands. But it will soon be stripped of tinsel and candles, gifts and trappings and thrown away ignominiously. Well, we can't keep the Christmas tree lighted the year round! But we can, if we will, keep our tree of happiness brightly lighted with good cheer, decked with the tinsel of gay nonsense, graced with gifts of unselfish considerateness!

Let us keep a little of the tinsel from our Christmas tree of happiness to make gay each succeeding day. There is plenty of happiness to be had, if it is carefully cultivated. Instead of exhausting all your happiness on Christmas Day, why not keep a little on hand for the day after Christmas and for gloomy March days—for every day in the year?

Anne, for instance, will need quite a bit of this Christmas spirit of good cheer this evening. For Joe sent her a sewing box, of all things, when she never sews a stitch, and the one thing she wanted most of all was a lovely vanity box. If Anne has some of her Christmas happiness left over, however, from yesterday, she will thank Joe so sweetly tonight when he comes to see her that his heart will glow with pride and joy to think he pleased a friend as charming as Anne.

For that matter, Joe himself will need his sweetest smile in thanking Anne for her box of cigars. For he had made up his mind to give up smoking as a New Year's resolution. And, besides, the cigars are awful.

But the affection back of a gift and the appreciative love with which it is received are the magic secret, and they are all that make Christmas worth while. That love and good will can keep the Christmas tree of your happiness freshly bright and beautiful the year round.

I am thinking of a certain young man who is working his way through college, and who found himself last summer vacation working as truck driver in a construction camp high up in the Rocky Mountains. Employed at the same camp was a young mountaineer, who was very much in love with the pretty waitress at the camp dining table. He had known her since they were children together. Regarding the good-looking college man as a possible rival, the mountaineer rebuffed every attempt at friendliness on the part of the newcomer.

The college man, as he sat on the dining-hall steps one evening watching the sunset, overheard the mountaineer invite the waitress to a picnic the next day. It was to be a great public picnic for the entire camp. Peg explained, almost in tears, that she could not go unless she found a substitute waitress, and no one was willing to substitute because every one wanted to go to the picnic.

"I've found a substitute waiter—you can go to the picnic after all," announced the cook to Peg an hour later. Not until after her happy day at the holiday was over, did Peg learn that the substitute waiter who made it possible for her to go to the picnic with her sweetheart was none other than the young college man.

This kind of giving is good the year round and it is sure to keep your tree of happiness gay with good cheer at all times. You have only to tend carefully the soil of thoughtful love in which it grows, and look well to the decorations of light-hearted fun and laughter that grace it.

The light from your tree of happiness, reflected in your face, will make you very dear and very beautiful, in the eyes of the young man who loves you well.

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Variety in Green

The shades of evening offer an infinite variety, prominent among which are the various shades of green. These are represented by nile, pistache, absinthe, greenbrier, seaspray, water nymph, jade and emerald. The fabrics in which these colorings appear at their best are chiffon, chiffon velvet and silvered brocade.

Cherry Sauce

One cup sugar, ¼ cup butter, 1 tablespoon cornstarch, ½ cup water, ½ cup cherry juice. Cream the sugar and the butter, add the cornstarch and the liquid and boil over hot water for five minutes, stirring constantly. Continue cooking for 25 minutes.

MEDITATIONS of a MARRIED WOMAN

by HELEN ROWLAND

PLAINT OF THE MISTLETOE

I HANG upon the chandelier, inviting osculation—
But, like Othello, I, alas, have lost my occupation!

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They're petting on the sofa; they are cuddling in the chairs— ....
They're spooning in the motor-cars, and courting on the stairs.

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Once, lovers waited eagerly to kiss beneath my bough—
But now they kiss most anywhere, and everywhere—and HOW!

* * *

When a man goes in for matrimony these days, he should know either one of two things: how to make a woman happy or how to dodge a bullet.

HELEN ROWLAND

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Marrying a man may be putting the skid-chains on his affections; but even then, you've got to keep your toe on the clutch, your eye on the lookout and your hand on the emergency brake.

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A man never pays attention to a clock until it stops ticking—nor to a woman until she stops talking!

* * *

A real lover cannot be lost—he can only be temporarily mislaid. Nothing except death or jail will keep a man away from a woman he honestly loves.

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Nowadays, a man's idea of love-making appears to be to "go into the silence," assume an expectant attitude and wait patiently for the girl to tell him that he loves her.

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Most of a man's clothes appear to be merely stop-gaps or afterthoughts onto which to hitch other garments.

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Marrying for money or for anything on earth except love, is letting yourself in for the cold gray dawn of life's "morning after," without having had the rose-colored romance of the "night before."

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Life loses its last grain of charm for a man only when he loses his last spark of curiosity about women.

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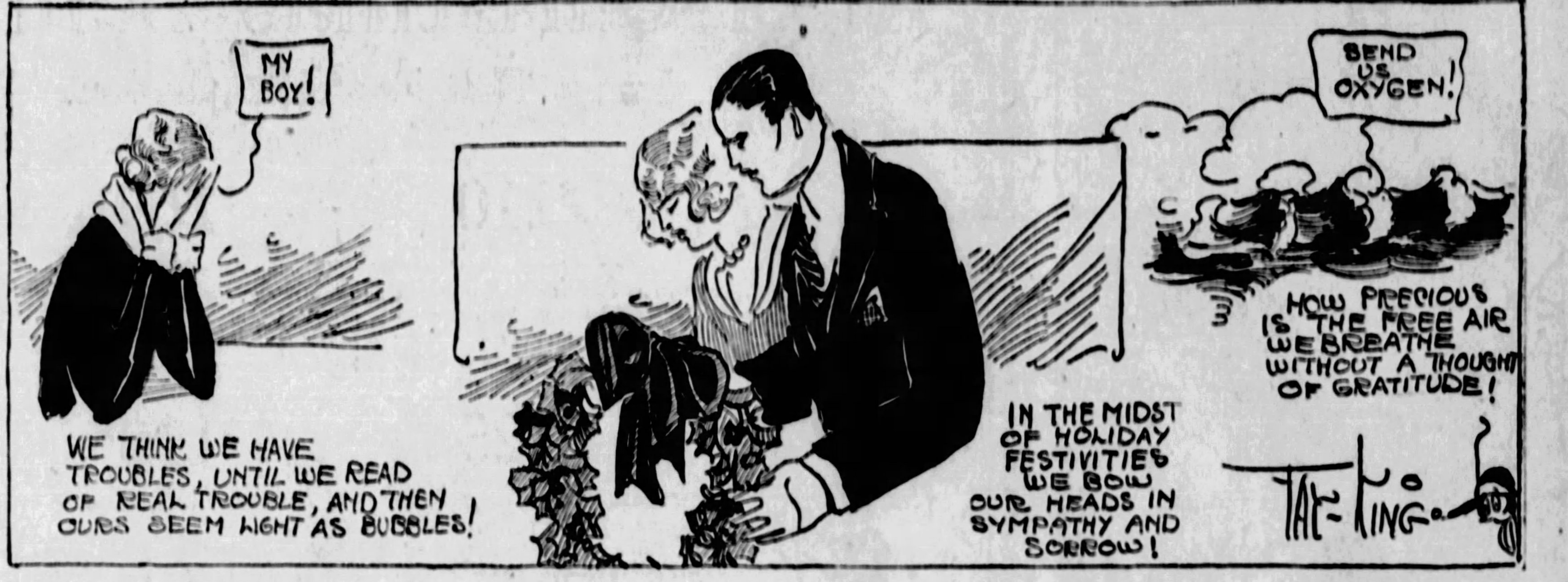

MY BOY!
WE THINK WE HAVE TROUBLES, UNTIL WE READ OF REAL TROUBLE, AND THEN OURS SEEM LIGHT AS BUBBLES!
IN THE MIDST OF HOLIDAY FESTIVITIES WE BOW OUR HEADS IN SYMPATHY AND SORROW!
SEND US OXYGEN!
HOW PRECIOUS IS THE FREE AIR WE BREATHE WITHOUT A THOUGHT OF GRATITUDE!
FAY KING

By FAY KING.

WE THINK we have troubles!

We mope because we have not got this! We whine because we have not got that!

We imagine we are singled out for especial misery when anything goes wrong in our selfish little plans!

And lo! we read of real trouble! Real tragedy that not only breaks the hearts of those closely connected with it, but which wrenches the hearts of utter strangers, such as you and I who read.

We blush with shame to have ever shed a tear over our own silly little selfish disappointments and impossible ambitions.

What matters a fortune, or finery, or success or failure, to a father who looks upon the mutilated form of his beloved child?

What matters politics, or prohibition, championships, or holiday feasting, to those whose only cry from the depths of the water is "OXYGEN"—that life-giving air we breathe without so much as a thought of gratitude or its priceless value!

In the midst of holiday festivities we all must bow our heads in sympathetic sorrow for these real troubles that have come to others.

When you are despondent and unhappy and full of self-pity over some trifle that seems so great to you at the moment—think of real troubles like these, and that, after all, you have no real troubles.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

by Royal S. Copeland M.D.
U.S. Senator from New York

Infantile Paralysis and the Milk Supply

WHEN it comes to determining the cause of infantile paralysis, the guess of one physician is as good as that of another. This is an ailment terrifying to parents and puzzling to the physician. During the past few months there have been a good many cases in North America and yet the number is less than one victim for every 100,000 of the population.

DR COPELAND

It is natural to dread the disease because it comes without warning. In a moment's time it makes a cripple out of a vigorous child.

A few days ago I spoke to the Health Commissioner of one of the great American cities, asking him what his conclusion is as to how the disease is carried. This doctor is quite confident it is carried by contaminated milk.

Fluid milk is consumed almost exclusively by young children. That might account for the prevalence of this disease among the very young. If it should happen that a carrier of the germs of infantile paralysis handles the milk at its source, that condition might result in passing the germs on to a susceptible child.

Fortunately, very few children are susceptible to this disease. In my experience it has been a rare thing indeed to find a second case in one household. The Health Commissioner with whom I talked said he had observed five cases in a single home. It is significant that in that particular house the milk was of very low grade.

It is absolutely essential that young children should have an abundance of milk. Where there are youngsters in a household they should not be given milk until the parents have satisfied themselves as to the high quality of this precious food. In the great cities and in many states and provinces there is rigid supervision of the milk supply. The dairy industry is under inspection and the milk is guarded from the time it leaves the healthy cows until it is delivered to the consumer. This is as it should be.

Of necessity milk produced under these conditions costs more money, but to buy such milk affords protection against disease. It is always gratifying to me to know that in the city where I live and in most of the great cities the milk is pure and wholesome.

My advice to the parents of children living in communities where there is no milk inspection is to make a personal examination or to ask the family physician to look into conditions under which the milk is produced.

You cannot afford to give your child anything but the best of milk, but milk must be had. To rob the child of it is to face the certainty of possible disasters, some of them as bad as infantile paralysis.

Answers to Health Queries

S. D. Q.—What causes dreaming every night?

2.—What is the correct weight for a boy aged 19, 5 ft. 8 in. tall?

A.—This may be due to some intestinal disturbance, or worry and mental upset. Eat a light evening meal. Make sure the bowels eliminate properly, and avoid fatigue and worry.

2.—He should weight about 141 pounds.

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C. H. Q.—What do you advise for bad breath and coated tongue?

A.—This may be due to indigestion or constipation. You should eat simple well-cooked food. Avoid foods unduly rich in fats and starches. Exercise daily in the open air. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.

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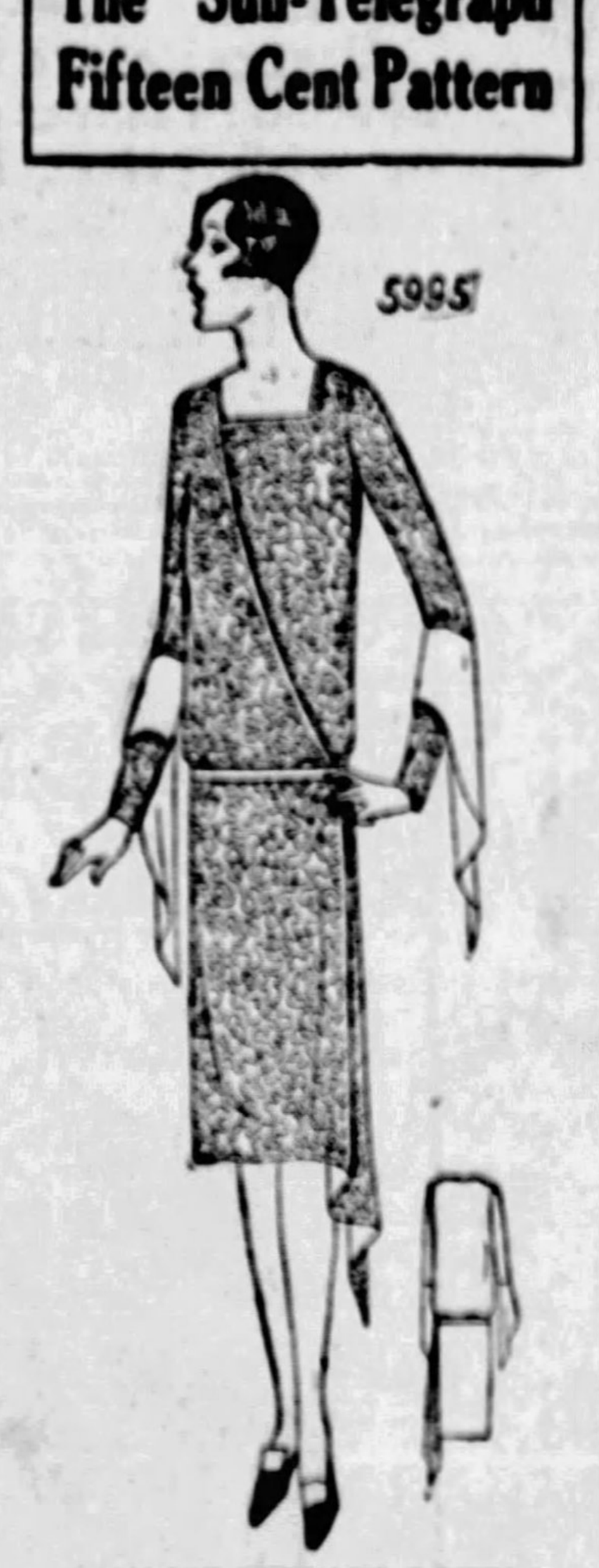

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Food and Character

By L. LAMAR MATTHEWS

WHEN the Mallory family gather around the dinner table they usually eat fried meat, fried potatoes, fried onions, fried bread or hot soggy biscuit with lots of butter and plenty of jelly, jam or syrup. Each one has a cup of well-sweetened coffee, which he drinks with considerable gusto and some static.

Between meals there are little cakes, and candy and sometimes pickle or cheese or sweet, greasy doughnuts.

Of course those children are storing up trouble for themselves. They think they can eat anything at any time; but after they are grown—or maybe before—some form of stomach trouble will make them pay for the wrong they are now doing their digestive organs. They may find out later that Mother's cooking was to blame for their ailments; but Mother will never believe it.

The O'Neals, who live two blocks up the street from the Mallory household, have the same number of children in the family and about the same income for their maintenance.

But Mrs. O'Neal has made a study of the subject of food. She knows where she can buy cheap cuts of meat, and she knows how to cook it so that it will be palatable and nourishing.

She knows that people need meat, eggs, fish, milk, beans, peas and other protein-food for building tissues and repairing waste in the body. She knows that it is sugar and starchy foods that supply the bodily heat and energy and she knows that green vegetables and fruit are needed to supply the mineral salts necessary to keep the body in good running order.

She selects her food-stuff with these needs in view; and she prepares it so that it will be easily digested and tasty as well.

The food children eat has largely to do with the kind of people they eventually become. Eating has a great deal to do with character. The aesthetic sense is affected and so is the disposition; sometimes mentality and even behavior are influenced by the food that is consumed.

Many children of well-to-do parents are undernourished. Sometimes this condition is due to the fact that they do not eat the right kind of food. Sometimes it is because they are in a state of worry or anger at the table and that interferes with digestion.

"Proper nourishment induces right feeling, contributes to right thinking and makes for right conduct," is what Mary S. Haviland says. And she adds:

"Unwise choice of foods, irregularity in meals, bolting of food, contribute to an irritable state of mind."

Children should be made to realize that food has two purposes. One brings enjoyment, the other brings about the gradual building of physical strength.

To gratify the cravings of the appetite at the expense of future bodily vigor is worse than foolish. When a child learns to sacrifice momentary pleasure for permanent gain, he has added to his own strength of character.

The daily act of eating furnishes a good medium for training in self-control; good also for acquiring the ease and grace and good manners that parents want their children to have.

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Loveliness for All

By MARIA JERITZA,
Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company and One of the Most Beautiful Women of the Day.

RIGHT now, in the midst of the season of feasting, is the time to begin to grow more beautiful. For the regime you adopt will help counteract the effect of too much feasting, and should soon restore that live, joyous, wide-awake feeling which is so precious.

For two weeks or more on arising I suggest that you drink two glasses of hot water, flavored with half a lemon to each glass. Then in the course of the day drink four more glasses of cold water.

Hot water carries away all poisons and toxins of the body a little more thoroughly than cold water. After a week or two of active exercise, balanced meals and generally wise living, cold water may be quite sufficient to keep your system cleansed.

After your two glasses of hot water, slip into your heavy bathrobe, open your windows wide and tune in on the radio morning exercises. They are all-around excellent exercises and it is great fun doing them to music. If this is impossible, practice five or six such suppling, stretching exercises as the following:

Lie flat on your back on the floor. Now lift your left leg, and clasping it underneath your knee, hug it to your chest without lifting your head from the floor. Return to relaxed position on the floor.

Repeat this exercise 10 times, then vary it by lifting your right leg in the same way 10 times, and finally both legs, five times or more. Needless to say I am not suggesting either exercises or diet for any but the healthy, strong woman.

Bend to the floor 10 times without bending your knees. Practice deep breathing. Fill your 10 minutes of exercise with lively, vigorous gymnastics. You will then thoroughly enjoy your quick shower or tepid tub, a vigorous rubdown, and breakfast as soon as you are dressed.

Let your breakfast consist of grapefruit or orange juice, one cup of coffee or coffee substitute, and one slice of toast thinly buttered. Or, if you prefer, breakfast on fruit, coffee and oatmeal and milk—cream if you are slender.

A brisk walk of three miles should take place after breakfast every day if you are physically fit. With a light lunch of salad and clear soup, and a dinner of meat or fish, a fresh vegetable and a light dessert, you will round out a day that should count for happiness, health and beauty.

Do you realize that the very best beauty aids, such as sunlight, fresh air, exercise and water, are free? If you make full use of these free gifts, you will grow ever lovelier and more charming.

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TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

Wednesday, December 28

The stars o'er man's poor body ride, and raise or lower it easier than a tide.—ANON.

THE planetary positions for this day are fairly encouraging to new undertakings, especially those requiring tact and secret manipulation, such as diplomacy, quiet investigation, etc.

Literary matters of a high order are well aspected but letters and writings generally may cause trouble, unless discreetly handled, under the Uranian tendency to agitation and precipitancy. Personal affiliations may perturb.

Those whose birthday it is may prepare for a year of successful new operations if they be calmly handled and not with agitation, rashness or turmoil. Poetry, music and art should thrive and business concerning these. Be careful to preserve balance and harmony in personal relations.

A child born on this day may excel in literature of a high order, have advanced ideals and mystical tendencies, but may be given to nervous and agitated moods. It may rise to heights of genius in unexpected lines of research.

Notable Nativity: Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States.

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George Godfrey Easy Winner in Fiasco With Jones

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Two Peaches And Basket

THE TARGET!

The poor basket has to dodge many a shot during a basketball game as field and foul goals are tried for. Here is one of the baskets on the Fifth Avenue High School floor, which probably never expected to get its picture in the paper.

PITT HEADS FOR COAST; DUKES PLAY TONIGHT

By JESS CARVER.

DR. JOHN BAIN SUTHERLAND, head coach of football at the University of Pittsburgh, is herding his Golden Panthers, the season's Eastern grid champs, around St. Louis today, after having completed the first leg of the long jaunt to California where, next week, Pitt and Stanford will meet in the Rose Bowl in Pasadena.

The Panthers pulled out last night. There were 24 players in the party, in addition to Coach Sutherland, Carl Ketchum, Assistant Coach Bowser,

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SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By HARRY KECK

SUN-TELEGRAPH SPORTS EDITOR

CRITICISM is easy, especially that variety which does not come under the head of constructive criticism.

As the fans filed out of Motor Square Garden yesterday afternoon following the 55-second flop of Soldier Jones against George Godfrey, there was considerable grumbling, and Johnny Ray, the matchmaker of the Motor Square Club, himself a former crafty ringman, came in for considerable panning for having brought the men together.

I went in to the offices of the club to find out how things were going there and arrived just in time to see a regular patron of the club go up to Ray and stick out his hand and say:

"Stand by your guns, boy; you had three good preliminaries and you showed 'em a man they wanted to see in Godfrey and it isn't your fault the other fellow was so terrible."

No one felt worse than Ray over the failure of Jones to stand up in

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Britten Wants West Point Scolded

By Universal Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary of War Davis was called upon "to tell West Point to stop writing sarcastic letters and almost impudent telegrams" to the Annapolis Naval Academy, on eligibility of football players at the two schools, by Representative Fred A. Britten, (Rep.) of Illinois in a statement issued yesterday.

All first-class colleges and universities in the country having three-year eligibility limits for their varsity football teams soon will refuse to play West Point, unless she establishes an eligibility standard, Britten predicted.

BROTHER, HORNSBY PRESS PAUL

By CHARLES J. DOYLE.

PAUL WANER'S supremacy over the other batters of the official batting records of the National League is shown in

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SPORT COMMENT

by JAMES J. LONG

THERE was no lack of determination or confidence in the air of the Pitt football players, coaches or university athletic officials as they hopped off last night on the long trip to Pasadena, Cal., for the big Tournament of Roses gridiron battle against Stanford next Monday afternoon.

Whether this spirit will suffice to carry Pitt to a triumph over their formidable opponents, however, is a question, and even ardent Panther followers must view the possibility with some little doubt when they consider the conditions under which the charges of Coach Sutherland will be required to go into action on the coast.

NO TEAM ever was burdened with heavier handicaps in entering an important contest. Except for the recent meeting with the Old-Timers, the Panthers have not played a game since Thanksgiving Day, and, besides, unfavorable weather has prevented them from getting even a fair amount of practice of late.

As far as physical condition goes, the Blue and Gold wearers are not lacking, but physical condition is not football playing form. The right edge cannot be maintained through a long period of idleness.

ADD to this the effects of the long trip to the coast, and finally the probability that the players will be weakened by the warm California

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FIGHT RESULTS

At Motor Square Garden—George Godfrey knocked out Soldier Jones, 1 round; Garfield Johnson defeated George Gemas, 8 rounds; Bruno Scalla defeated Ray Crawford, 6 rounds; Evan Gustafson won by technical knockout over Tony Mack, 2 rounds.

At Johnstown—Al Trainer defeated Bobby Richardson, 10 rounds; George Pavlik defeated Hugh Haggerty, 6 rounds; Billy Palm won by technical knockout over Billy George, 6 rounds.

At New York—Jack McVey defeated Willie Greb, 10 rounds; Roberto Roberti defeated Homer Smith, 10 rounds; Sam Hunter knocked out Sammy Singer, 1 round; Lew Barba knocked out Lew Williams, 2 rounds.

At Atlantic City—Eddie (Kid) Wagner knocked out Eddie Reed, 6 rounds.

At Philadelphia—Jack DeMave defeated Jack Humbeck, 10 rounds; Phil (K. O.) Kaplan knocked out Pierre Gandon, 4 rounds; Rene DeVos defeated Vincent Forgione, 10 rounds; Tony Ascencio defeated Andy Tomosky, 10 rounds.

At Allentown, Pa.—Mickey Diamond defeated Paris Sanger, 10 rounds; Lew Keppel knocked out Phil Rossilli, 4 rounds; Jack Perry defeated Battling Willard, 8 rounds.

At Portland, Me.—Laddie Lee defeated Johnny Curcio, 12 rounds.

At East Liverpool, O.—Tug Phillips defeated Pickles Donahoe, 10 rounds.

At Milan, Italy—Leo Jacovacci defeated Ted Moore, 10 rounds.

At Buffalo—Johnny Dunn defeated Eddie Meichler, 6 rounds.

At Lancaster, Pa.—Joey Hatfield defeated Frankie Nelson, 8 rounds.

At Harrisburg — Hal Murray knocked out Dencio Vellinor, 7 rounds; Chick Bedell defeated Tommy Liberto, 8 rounds; Tony Liberto defeated Abe Awner, 6 rounds.

Basketball

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

P. & O. LEAGUE.

Junkers ....47—Stanos 43

COUNTY LEAGUE.

Braddock ....48—McKees Rocks 13

MAJOR LEAGUE.

Windslow ....44—Alumni 30

AMERICAN PRO LEAGUE.

Washington ......28—Chicago 19

Celtics ....33—Cleveland 27

LYCEUM LEAGUE.

St. Joachims ....33—Canevin 21

INDEPENDENT LEAGUE.

Jeannette ....41—Succops 39

Swissvale ....16—Sewanee 15

Cyclers ....57—Goslins 37

Beech ....26—Whippet 16

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

P. & O. LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Mieles	7	0	1000	Succops	3	5	.375
Goblensons	6	2	.750	Stanos	3	6	.333
Somermans	4	2	.667	St. Richards	2	5	.286
Junkers	4	2	.667	St. C'rines	1	7	.126

ALLEGHENY COUNTY LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Broadway	3	0	1000	Braddock	2	3	.400
Lafayettes	3	0	1000	Goslins	1	3	.250
Rauhs	2	2	.500	Rox B. M.	1	4	.200

SOLDIER GOES OUT IN FIRST ROUND

By HARRY KECK.
Sun-Telegraph Sports Editor.

YOU can't prove by the Pittsburgh fans whether or not George Godfrey, the Negro heavyweight championship contender, can fight. A good-sized crowd of local boxing followers saw the Black Shadow climb into the ring at Motor Square Garden in the main bout of the Christmas matinee yesterday afternoon, swarm all over Soldier Jones of Toronto and then go his way with credit for a knockout victory just 55 seconds after the clang of the opening gong.

Jones made no attempt to fight, and, as a result, the affair ended with the label "fiasco" attached to it. The Soldier acted like an intoxicated man as he came into the ring, spent a lot of time having his gloves adjusted, was ordered back to his dressing room when it was discovered that he did not wear a protection cup and then appeared to have his mind on far-away things as they met in the center of the ring for instructions.

BOUT SPEEDILY OVER

At the bell, they rushed close and swung. Jones landed high on the Shadow's head with a wild left and it was the last punch he came anywhere close to getting home. With advantages in height, reach and condition and an edge of 55½ pounds in weight, Godfrey climbed all over the battle-scarred Soldier, forcing him about the ring. Jones suddenly sagged and fell down from a blow to

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National League Batting, 1927

(Players in more than 10 games.)

Name and Club.	G.	Ab.	R.	H.	TB.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SH.	SB.	Pct.
Bush, Joseph L., 7 Pgh.; 3 N. Y.	10	9	..	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	.556
Littlejohn, Carlisle, St. Louis	15	12	2	5	6	1	..	..	..	..	.417
Mays, Carl W., Cincinnati	14	32	5	13	19	1	1	1	1	..	.406
Waner, Paul G., Pittsburgh	155	623	113	237	339	40	17	9	23	5	.380
King, James J., St. Louis	13	8	3	3	5	2	..	..	..	..	.375
Cummings, John, New York	43	80	8	29	43	6	1	2	2	..	.363
Hornsby, Rogers, New York	155	568	133	205	333	32	9	26	26	9	.361
Purdy, Everett, Cincinnati	18	62	15	22	35	2	4	1	2	..	.3548
Waner, Lloyd, Pittsburgh	150	629	133	223	258	17	6	2	11	16	.3545
Jones, Percy L., Chicago	30	40	3	14	15	1	..	..	1	..	.350
Stephenson, J. Riggs, Chicago	152	579	101	199	284	46	9	7	18	8	.344
Traynor, Harold J., Pittsburgh	149	573	93	196	261	32	9	5	35	11	.342
Frisch, Frank F., St. Louis	153	617	112	208	291	31	11	10	26	48	.337
Roy, Luther F., Chicago	11	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	.333
Harper, George W., New York	145	483	85	160	239	19	6	16	21	7	.331
Hafey, Charles J., St. Louis	103	346	62	114	204	26	5	18	7	12	.330
Harris, Joseph, Pittsburgh	129	411	57	134	194	27	9	5	23	..	.3260
Terry, William H., New York	150	580	101	189	307	32	13	20	19	1	.3258
Barnhart, Clyde L., Pittsburgh	108	360	66	115	159	23	5	3	21	2	.319
Burrus, Maurice L., Boston	72	220	22	70	84	8	3	..	10	3	.3181
Wilson, Lewis R., Chicago	146	551	119	175	319	30	12	30	18	13	.3176
Jackson, Travis, New York	127	469	67	149	228	29	4	14	15	8	.3176
Smith, John, Boston	84	183	27	58	75	6	4	1	7	8	.3169
Blades, Raymond F., St. Louis	61	180	33	57	81	8	5	2	6	3	.3166
Farrell, Edward, 42 N. Y.; 110 Boston	152	566	57	179	220	23	3	4	22	4	.3162
Sweetland, Lester, Philadelphia	25	38	3	12	14	2	..	..	1	..	.3157
Orsatti, Ernest, St. Louis	27	92	15	29	42	7	3	..	2	2	.315
Scott, Floyd J., Chicago	71	156	28	49	69	18	1	..	4	1	.314
Lucas, Charles F., Cincinnati	80	150	14	47	56	5	2	..	6	..	.3133
Reinhart, Arthur C., St. Louis	27	32	8	10	11	1	..	..	1	..	.3125
Nixon, Albert, Philadelphia	54	154	18	48	55	7	..	..	5	1	.312
Grimm, Charles J., Chicago	147	543	68	169	216	29	6	2	26	3	.311
Hendrick, Harvey, Brooklyn	128	458	55	142	194	18	11	4	9	29	.310
Richbourg, Lance, Boston	115	450	57	139	173	12	9	2	18	24	.3089
Cuyler, Hazen S., Pittsburgh	85	285	60	88	124	13	7	3	5	20	.3087
Hargrave, Eugene F., Cincinnati	102	305	36	94	118	18	3	..	11	..	.308
Brown, Edward W., Boston	155	558	64	171	224	35	6	2	19	11	.3064
Lindstrom, Fred C., New York	138	562	107	172	243	36	8	7	15	10	.3060
Leach, Fred M., Philadelphia	140	536	69	164	238	30	4	12	15	2	.3060
Wrightstone, Russell G., Philadelphia	141	533	62	163	213	24	5	6	8	9	.3058
Grantham, George, Pittsburgh	151	531	96	162	241	33	11	8	23	9	.305
Roush, Edw. J., New York	140	570	83	173	229	27	4	7	17	18	.304
Thompson, Lafayette F., Philadelphia	153	597	78	181	244	32	14	1	18	19	.3031
Bottomley, James L., St. Louis	152	574	95	174	292	31	15	19	26	8	.3031
High, Andrew A., Boston	113	384	59	116	161	15	9	4	10	4	.3020
Moore, Ed., Boston	112	411	53	124	149	14	4	1	11	5	.3017
Webb, Earl W., Chicago	102	332	58	100	168	18	4	14	14	3	.3012
Southworth, William H., St. Louis	92	306	52	92	123	15	5	2	12	10	.3006
Jeanes, Ernest L., New York	11	20	5	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	.300
Sand, John H., Philadelphia	141	535	87	160	201	22	8	1	28	5	.299

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All-Star Battles Monday

FOUR eight-round bouts featuring local talent will make up the New Year's matinee program at Motor Square Garden next Monday afternoon, it was announced from the ring at yesterday's Godfrey-Jones show.

Willie Davies of Charleroi, the State flyweight champion, will meet Alec Burlie of Toronto, former Canadian champion, in the main event. They have boxed each other several times and all of the battles have been close.

Young Saylor of Charleroi and Rudy Ceder of Tarentum, welterweights, will box the semi-final, a test between the former's ring skill and the latter's punching ability.

Young Rudy of Charleroi and Teddy Welch of McKeesport, lightweight rivals, will clash for the seventh time in the second bout. Their meetings have provided the best action of recent months in this section.

Jimmy Belmont of Braddock and

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HEIDELBERG 5-0 VICTOR

By TOM BIRKS.

Heidelberg's great soccer team rose to supreme heights yesterday in the West Penn cup competition when it tripped up the crack Clan Grant team by a 5-0 score. The contest was a brilliant one, and was one of the two staged in this tourney yesterday. While the national champs were eliminating the upriver booters, the Pittsburgh Internationals and Turtle Creek Thistles played a 2-2 tie game at the Turtle Creek Stadium.

These were the only games played in the district, the local governing body calling off all of the other games in the district in deference to the cup competition. But this was an injustice to the fans, for both games were far removed from the usual scene of operations, but both played to a good-sized crowd.

FAIR FLOOR STARS

GERTRUDE SCHILLING

Clever forward of the Philadelphia Company sextet of the Pioneer Girls' League, the leading local basketball circuit for feminine stars.

PHOTOS BY SUN-TELE PHOTOGRAPHER.

LOUISE DEUTSCH

Another forward of the Philadelphia Company team. She is a good shot and all-round player.

HOCKEY

BECAUSE of several of the Pirates spending Christmas at their homes in Canada Manager Cleghorn will not start working his puckmen for the game Saturday night with Montreal Maroons until tomorrow.

Immediately after last Saturday night's hectic struggle with Les Canadiens, which resulted in a 2-2 count, the Pirate skipper presented some of his players with a leave of absence as a reward for their splen-

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FIRESTONE SONS WIN OVER FLAMINGO POLOISTS

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 27.—The four sons of Harvey S. Firestone, the tire magnate, playing under the colors of the Chagrin Valley Hunt Club, of Akron, Ohio, won from the Flamingo Four 10 to 9 in the first game of the 1927-1928 winter polo season at Nautilus Field yesterday afternoon.

FOOTBALL SCORES

COLLEGIATE

All-Western ......16—All-Eastern 6

All-Southern ......8—All-Western 0

Miami ....7—Louisiana 0

SCHOLASTIC

Waco ....44—Cleveland Latin....12

INDEPENDENT

Burns ....0—Springdale 0

College Stars....6—Russell 0

FOWLER RELEASED

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Joe McCarthy, manager of the Chicago Cubs, has sent Pitcher Pete Fowler, a southpaw, to the Reading club of the International League.

BUTLER FIVE HERE

The Spaide Five, winner of the Butler County League championship last winter, will be the attraction of the First U. P. Community House quintet on the Community floor Thursday night.

BURNS-SPRINGDALE TIE

The final independent gridiron game of the season was played yesterday at Ken High School field, New Kensington, Burns A. A. and the Springdale Amicus playing to a scoreless tie.

FOOTBALL DOCTORS ASSEMBLE TO REMEDY RULE ILLS

Title Dive Monday

THE A. M. A. junior low board diving championship for men will be held in the Downtown Y. M. C. A. pool next Monday. Wright of Pitt, Richards of the Natatorium Club and McCoy of the Downtown Y will be among the contestants.

It's Up to Pitt to Retrieve the East's Grid Honor Now.

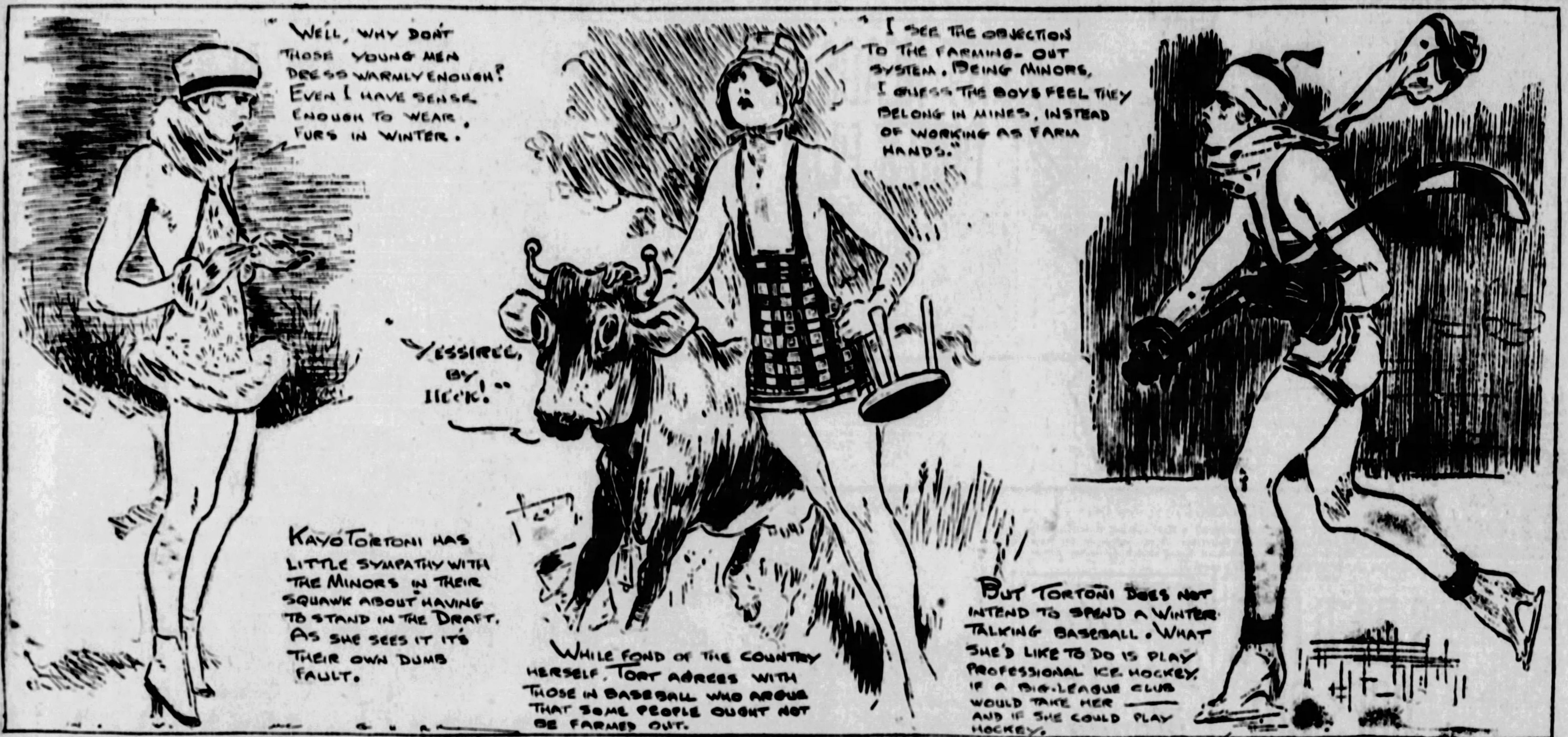
★ SUN-TELEGRAPH ★ SPORTS ★

Barry Sculling Champ

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 27. H. A. Barry, English champion, holds the world's sculling championship by virtue of a 10-length victory over Maj. James Goodsell, Australia, on the three-mile Port Moody course, here, yesterday. His time was 21:04.

Kayo Tortoni Wants a Job as Judge Landis' Confidential Advisor

By McGurk


"WELL, WHY DON'T THOSE YOUNG MEN DRESS WARMLY ENOUGH? EVEN I HAVE SENSE ENOUGH TO WEAR FURS IN WINTER."
KAYO TORTONI HAS LITTLE SYMPATHY WITH THE MINORS IN THEIR SQUAWK ABOUT HAVING TO STAND IN THE DRAFT. AS SHE SEES IT IT'S THEIR OWN DUMB FAULT.
"I SEE THE OBJECTION TO THE FARMING-OUT SYSTEM. BEING MINORS, I GUESS THE BOYS FEEL THEY BELONG IN MINES, INSTEAD OF WORKING AS FARM HANDS."
"YESSIREE, BY HECK!"
WHILE FOND OF THE COUNTRY HERSELF, TORT AGREES WITH THOSE IN BASEBALL WHO ARGUE THAT SOME PEOPLE OUGHT NOT BE FARMED OUT.
BUT TORTONI DOES NOT INTEND TO SPEND A WINTER TALKING BASEBALL. WHAT SHE'D LIKE TO DO IS PLAY PROFESSIONAL ICE HOCKEY, IF A BIG-LEAGUE CLUB WOULD TAKE HER — AND IF SHE COULD PLAY HOCKEY.

At the Tracks

Tomorrow's Entries

New Orleans.

First race, $1,000, claiming, all ages, maidens, 6 furlongs—Nausset, 105; Charlder, 112; Nonchalant, 112; Golden School, 105; Sword, 111; Our Margie, 105; Galloping Dawn, 106; Cassie, 108; Speak Easy, 112; Billy G, 112; Isaac L, 111; High Storm, 111. Also eligible—Caustic, 112; Water Baby, 105; Florence F, 105; Determan, 112; Anna Coughlin, 109; *Thirty Minutes, 104.

Second race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1⅛ miles—*Delusive, 107; *Clarence Le Bus, 107; *Betsy Rose, 104; Special, 112; Ben McGraw, 112; *Aurora, 105; *Harry B, 107; Forbearance, 110; Clique, 112; *Uncle Joe, 105; Liberty National, 112; King of Fortune, 112. Also eligible—*Amy A, 102; *Sargasso, 105; Culpepper, 110; Jeanette S, 107; *Compromise, 104; *Jimson, 107.

Third race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Bolton, 112; *Tempter, 105; *Spandor, 107; Scampaway, 112; Magnus, 110; *Queen Bessie, 102; Vallette, 109; The Highwester, 112; Heather Wine, 112; Talladega, 112; Wildrake, 112; Theo Fay, 112. Also eligible—Blue Mask, 102; *Easter Laddie, 107; *Donna Beyer, 107; Disciple, 112; Colonel Seth, 110; Take a Chance, 107.

Fourth race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—*Bright Shawl, 100; *Arabian, 105; Revolver, 112; *Blackhead, 102; Florence Mills, 107; *Anaconda, 105.

Fifth race, $1,200, claiming, handicap, all ages, 6 furlongs—Floranada, 107; (a)Sun Altos, 112; Break O'Morn, 100; Rival, 98; (a)Pigeon Wing II, 107; Orestes II, 109; Chaff, 100; Endor, 109. (a)Sanola Stock Farm entry.

Sixth race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1¼ miles—*Golden G, 107; *Crucenas, 107; *Pompeus, 107; Toscanelli, 112; Lexington Maid, 102; *Income, 107; *Open Fire, 107; *Equity, 107; Dance King, 110; Delphi, 112; *Joan J. Jr., 107; *Junior's Nurse, 102. Also eligible—Zealand, 112; Gay Paris, 107; Van Patrick, 112; *Candy Rock, 107; Pepper Shot, 112; Nine Sixty, 112.

Seventh race, $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds, 1 1-16 miles—Coshocton, 115; *Sincerely, 110; Frank Andrews, 112; *Odd Fellow II, 111; *Cremamentia, 111; Fenlight, 110; *Policeman Day, 107.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

Havana.

First race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs—*Golden Armor, 104; Billiken, 109; Brown Buck, 106; Bachelor's Error, 109; *Bonny Castle, 104; *Jimmy Flue, 102; *Tamale Dick, 107; *Idle Thoughts, 101; Sentiment, 101; Wendy, 112; Golden Locke, 106; *Josie Hartman, 96; *Bray Angle, 104; *Nimrod, 104; *Jacobean, 104; Boots Last, 101; Best Friend, 104.

Second race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs—*Black Deer, 104; *Miltch, 94; *Alice Long, 101; *Davelle, 101; Dorado, 104; *P. T. Barnum, 104; Polly Path, 106; Certain, 109; Despite, 105; Splinters, 112; *Pinder Peel, 107; Expressive, 100; *Rosemary Ryan, 98; *Bathilde Seth, 101; Sun Rock, 104; Fire Away, 106.

Third race, $800, claiming, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—*Charles Robinson, 101; *Merida, 104; *Captain Stevenson, 99; *Erin Go Bragh, 99; *Spiral, 101; Archaist, 106; Operetta, 96; The Cyrenaian, 104; Stella May, 101; *Patsy Dale, 98.

Fourth race, $800, allowances, all ages, 6 furlongs—Cuban Flag, 108; Andrewito, 107; King David, 108; Black Hawk, 110; [illegible], 106; Lady Celita, 107.

Fifth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—*Upetta, 100; *Mildred, 102; Friday 13th, 110; *Melnora, 102; The Ally, 112; Sandalwood, 110; *Royal Flag, 99.

Sixth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—Illustrator, 110; *St. Augustine, 102; *Sister Sue, 99; *Sleepy Dick, 98; Tippo Sahib, 107; Helter Skelter, 104; *Sligo Branch, 105.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather cloudy; track muddy.

SCRATCHES

New Orleans.

First race—Rough Sea, Our Margie, Nausset, Golden School, Blushing Maiden, Galloping Dawn.

Second race—Bill Seth, Stowaway, Lady in Blue, Isaac L, Duff's Time, Sister Zoe.

Third race—Arrogant, Miles Prior, John Speed, Body Guard, Ball Get, Geo. Green.

Fourth race—Highbinder, Johnny Campbell, The Archer, Adele W, Bright Steel.

Sixth race—Dusty Mary, Waponoca, Cerulean, Sun Rajah, Fourteen Sixty, Jubal Early, Lieut. Rost.

Seventh race—John T. D., Jeb.

Weather clear; track fast.

Havana.

First race—Twelve Thirty.

Second race—Dorado, The Dago.

Sixth race—Devastation.

Weather cloudy; track muddy.

Tia Juana.

First race—Pennon, Nordeld, Koko, Fay Wood, Good Times, Cloporte.

Second race—Stamp, Hard Dealer, Mary Maud Carr, Tan Son, Quintana Roo.

Third race—Shindy, Vennie Sue, Falls of Afton, Mariel H, Anna Mary, Malvern.

Fourth race—Negotiator, Miss Fountain, Weather Vane, Indemnity.

Fifth race—Question Mark, Shasta Lily, Klupaki, Tent Builder, Minnesota, O'Leary.

Sixth race—Kilauea, Jedburgh Abbey, Brother John, Scottish Lad, Music, The Corsair, Gaberdine, Patrick Strafield, High Art.

Seventh race—Chiva, MacBeth, Son o' Use.

Eighth race—Bulletproof, High Ball, Tommie McComb.

Weather clear; track muddy.

DUKES MAY GET DATE ON W. & J. GRID CARD

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 27.—Graduate Manager William G. Theurer, of Wash-Jeff, is in Pittsburgh today conferring with Park J. Alexander, member of the Athletic Council and chairman of the schedule committee relative to the naming of an antagonist for the open date—October 12—on the Red and Black football chart. The award of the open date was discussed by the athletic council at a meeting here, but Alexander was not present.

Nothing definite was done regarding the filling of the vacancy on the Presidential card. Duquesne University, of Pittsburgh, and West Virginia Wesleyan and Marshall College, both of West Virginia, have applied for it. Manager Theurer has presented their claims to the council, pointing out the necessity for not holding up the selection any further in fairness to these institutions, and requesting that some decision be arrived at shortly.

School Cage Cards

LOST CREEK

HOME GAMES.

December 21—West Milford.
January 7—Newberg.
January 13—Barrackville.
January 20—West Union.
January 21—West Milford.
January 25—Wyatt.
January 28—Weston.
February 2—Rivesville.
February 3—Philippi.
February 18—Wadestown.
February 24—Hundred.
March 9—Jane Lew.

GAMES AWAY.

January 14—Jane Lew.
February 4—West Milford.
February 9—Rivesville.
February 11—Philippi.
February 17—West Union.

McDONALD

(BOYS AND GIRLS.)

January 6—McDonald at Canonsburg.
January 10—McDonald at Clairton.
January 13—Open.
January 17—McDonald at Claysville.
January 20—Trinity at Washington.
January 24—McDonald at Burgettstown.
January 27—Cecil at Venice.
January 31—Bridgeville at McDonald.
February 3—Open.
February 7—Claysville at McDonald.
February 10 and 14—Open.
February 17—McDonald at Bridgeville.
February 21—McDonald at Canonsburg.
February 24—McDonald at Etna.
February 28—McDonald at Burgettstown.
March 2—Trinity at McDonald.
March 6—McDonald at Oakdale.

Will Broadcast Pitt-Stanford Battle

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—A play-by-play account of the football game between Stanford University and the University of Pittsburgh at Pasadena, Cal., Janurary 2, will be broadcast through a nation-wide hookup of 50 radio stations, the National Broadcasting Company announced yesterday.

Approximately 4,000 miles of wire will carry the description to New York where it will be distributed to the National Broadcasting Company's Red, Blue and Pacific Coast networks.

Goal Posts War Center

By DAVIS J. WALSH

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NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Within the next few days there will be an absolute minimum of silence around the Hotel Astor, silence being one of the things of which members of the football rules committee, the Coaches' Association and the National Collegiate Athletic Association haven't too much. The occasion will be football's annual clinic and autopsy of college sports in general, and men will come from far and wide in order to make themselves heard farther and wider, depending on who happens to be listening.

These meetings feature one type of delegate, affectionately known as a willing listener. The others are too busy thinking of what they are going to say when the orator of the moment gets through, which they are beginning to suspect will be never.

From football's standpoint, the focus of attack probably will be upon two of 1927's new regulations—the removal of the posts from the goal line and that declaring a fumble punt, recovered by the kicker's side, dead at the point of recovery. There are likely to be other suggestions and when the rules committee officially convenes in February, it will take all of them under advisement, which means that the committee probably will do nothing about any of them.

START WORK TOMORROW

The oratorical contest will begin tomorrow when football's field officials are due to complain bitterly about all new rules as being conceived and made finite only to displease and embarrass them. That will start the ball rolling into the end zone, so the next day the N. C. A. A. will get down to business, which among other things will include the hearing of Chairman E. K. Hall, report on the subject of football in general. This will come in the morning when everybody is presumed to be prolific of stamina and endurance and indifferent to punishment.

Later in the day Mr. Hall will return to the offensive by explaining the working of the new rules during 1927, and possibly his tacit approval of one, all or none of them can be taken to indicate what the rules committee may do at its annual meeting.

There will be a lot of objections to the goal post and fumbled punt regulations expressed at the football coaches' meeting on Friday. Many of the members think that a definite scoring medium, via the field goal, virtually has been removed by the setting back of the posts and quite a few feel that the team which drops a punt is entitled to lose everything that a fleet end can take away from it. There may be something said about the two-second shift, but not much. It seems to have proved reasonably satisfactory, particularly, I suppose, to the opponents of Minnesota, Notre Dame and Georgia.

In addition, the coaches may ask again why somebody doesn't pay more attention to their ideas. They probably will get the customary answer, meaning none.

TOMMY ARMOUR ON GOLF

By Tommy Armour

U.S. and Canadian Open Champion

"JUST WHAT," asks a reader, "is meant by pressing?" One frequently hears the term used, and I suspect that a very great number of players are vague as to just what is meant by it.

Briefly, pressing means putting so much of an effort to hit the ball into the swing that the co-ordination of body, arms and hand movements is broken up. Briefly it means trying to hit too hard. But, one may say, "don't the experts hit the ball hard?" The answer is they do, and don't let anybody tell you any different. But here is the point. The experts are able to put a lot of force into the swing and at the same time to so regulate their efforts that the co-ordination mentioned above is retained in spite of this force.

THE inexpert cannot do this. Here is a simple comparison of the two cases. The average person can throw a ball from the pitcher's position on a ball field to the home plate with fair direction, if he throws with a normal easy swing. But let him try to throw it with all the force he can command, and see what happens. Yet the famous pitchers can put all the speed at their command on the ball and still be reasonably sure of control. The same is true of swinging a golf club.

There is a strong inclination on the part of the average golfer to press whenever he comes to a situation where a well-hit shot will be required to get him home or to carry a distant hazard or the like. He feels that he will have to hit the ball extra hard to get the desired result. But unfortunately, when he tries to do this, he not only fails to deliver the maximum force to the ball, but through this extra effort the clubhead reaches the ball in such a way that a topped or crocked shot is the result.

NEARLY every golfer has noticed how surprisingly far a ball will travel when he attempts to play safe, short of a ditch or bunker, and just takes an easy swing at the ball. The explanation lies in the fact that he made no effort to hurry the stroke, and so timed the swing as to deliver the maximum force against the ball. That should be the aim in every shot. Surprisingly little force is needed to drive a golf ball a good distance. And any golfer who is working to improve his game can do no better than to get the lesson fixed in his mind that, when a good long shot is required, the first and most important thing to avoid is any tendency to press, that is to try to hit the ball an especially hard blow.

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National League Batting 1927

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Name and Club.	G.	Ab.	R.	H.	TB.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SH.	SB.	Pct.
Spalding, Albert, Philadelphia	115	442	68	131	153	16	3	..	14	8	.296
Tolson, Charles J., Chicago	39	54	6	16	26	4	..	2	2	..	.2963
Allen, Ethan N., Cincinnati	111	359	54	106	146	26	4	2	12	12	.295
Hartnett, Charles L., Chicago	127	449	56	132	204	32	5	10	11	2	.2940
Heathcote, Clifton E., Chicago	83	228	28	67	93	12	10	2	7	6	.2938
Jonnard, Clarence, Philadelphia	[illegible]	[illegible]	19	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	..	..	6	..	.2937
Mann, Leslie, 29 Bos.; 29 N. Y.	58	133	21	39	56	7	3	3	..	1	.293
Walker, Curtis, Cincinnati	146	527	60	154	214	16	10	6	27	5	.2922
Adams, Earl J., Chicago	146	647	100	189	227	17	7	..	16	26	.2921
Dressen, Charles W., Cincinnati	144	548	78	160	222	36	10	2	25	7	.2919
Bressler, Raymond B., Cincinnati	124	467	43	136	175	14	8	3	26	4	.291
English, Elwood, Chicago	97	334	46	97	122	14	4	1	20	1	.290
Mueller, Clarence F., New York	84	190	33	55	72	6	1	3	4	2	.2894
Scott, John W., Philadelphia	51	114	6	33	43	6	..	1	3	..	.2895
Schulte, John, St. Louis	64	156	35	45	66	8	2	3	6	1	.288
Hogan, J. Francis, Boston	71	229	24	66	90	17	1	2	5	2	.2882
Urban, Luke, Boston	35	111	11	32	37	5	..	..	1	1	.2883
Welsh, James D., Boston	131	497	72	143	210	26	7	9	24	11	.2878
Holm, Roscoe A., St. Louis	110	419	55	120	172	27	8	3	16	4	.2864
Mokan, John L., Philadelphia	74	213	22	61	76	13	2	..	6	3	.2864
Hargreaves, Charles R., Brooklyn	46	133	9	38	45	6	1	..	3	1	.2857
Brickell, Fred, Pittsburgh	32	21	6	6	7	1	..	..	1	..	.2857
Groh, Henry K., Pittsburgh	14	35	2	10	11	1	..	..	..	..	.2857
Zitzmann, William, Cincinnati	88	232	47	66	86	10	2	..	17	9	.284
Fournier, Jacques F., Boston	122	374	55	106	156	18	2	10	9	4	.2834
Spencer, Roy, Pittsburgh	38	92	9	26	31	3	1	..	3	..	.2826
Ott, Melvin, New York	82	163	23	46	62	7	3	1	4	2	.282
Wright, F. Glenn, Pittsburgh	143	570	78	160	221	26	4	9	16	4	.281
Critz, Hugh M., Cincinnati	113	396	50	110	148	10	8	4	17	7	.278
Wilson, James, Philadelphia	128	443	50	122	167	15	2	2	12	13	.275
Williams, Fred C., Philadelphia	131	492	86	135	267	18	2	30	9	..	.2743
Statz, Arnold, Brooklyn	130	507	64	139	185	24	7	1	14	10	.2741
Ford, Horace H., Cincinnati	115	409	45	112	135	16	2	1	12	..	.2738
Rhyne, Harold, Pittsburgh	62	168	21	46	51	5	..	..	15	..	.2738
Pittenger, Clarke A., Cincinnati	31	84	17	23	27	4	..	..	4	..	.2738
Clark, Earl, Boston	13	44	6	12	13	1	..	..	5	..	.273
Songer, Don., 2 Pitts.; 22 N. Y.	24	11	1	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	.273
Herman, Floyd C., Brooklyn	130	412	65	112	176	26	9	14	14	4	.272
Kelly, George L., Cincinnati	61	222	27	60	89	16	4	5	2	1	.2703
Smith, Earl S., Pittsburgh	66	189	16	51	71	3	1	5	11	..	.2698
Carey, Max G., Brooklyn	144	538	70	143	194	30	10	1	20	32	.2658
Henline, Walter J., Brooklyn	67	177	12	47	60	10	3	1	7	1	.2655
Felix, August G., Brooklyn	130	445	62	118	165	21	5	..	12	6	.2651
Reese, Andrew, New York	97	355	43	94	124	14	2	4	9	5	.2647
Tyson, Albert, New York	43	159	24	42	56	7	2	1	5	5	.2641
O'Farrell, Robert A., St. Louis	61	178	19	47	59	10	1	..	2	3	.2640
Corgan, Charles H., Brooklyn	19	57	3	15	16	1	..	..	1	..	.263
Douthit, Taylor L., St. Louis	130	488	81	128	186	29	6	5	13	6	.262
Cooney, James E., 33 Chgo.; 76 Phila.	109	391	45	102	118	14	1	..	19	5	.2608
Kaufmann, Chas. A., 9 Chi.-[illegible] St. L.	14	23	3	6	12	..	..	2	2	..	.2608
Partridge, James B., Brooklyn	146	572	72	149	190	17	6	7	16	9	.2604
Pipp, Walter C., Cincinnati	122	443	49	115	152	19	6	2	16	2	.2595
Barrett, Robert S., Brooklyn	99	355	29	92	121	10	2	5	12	1	.2591
Bell, Lester R., St. Louis	115	390	48	101	152	26	6	9	11	5	.2590
Beck, Clyde E., Chicago	117	391	44	101	137	20	5	2	16	3	.2583
Gooch, John B., Pittsburgh	101	291	22	75	102	17	2	2	9	..	.2577
Snyder, Frank, St. Louis	63	194	7	50	58	5	..	1	1	..	.2577
Schuble, Henry, St. Louis	65	218	29	56	79	6	3	4	2	1	.257
Picinich, Valentine J., Cincinnati	65	173	16	44	56	6	3	..	8	2	.2543
Christensen, Walter N., Cincinnati	57	185	25	47	52	6	..	..	6	4	.254
Donohue, Peter J., Cincinnati	33	84	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	..	..	..	3	..	.250
Ehrhardt, William C., Brooklyn	46	24	4	6	7	1	..	..	..	..	.250
Keen, H. Victor, St. Louis	21	4	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	.250
Toporcer, George, St. Louis	86	290	37	72	92	13	2	1	11	5	.2482
DeVormer, Albert, New York	68	141	14	35	48	3	1	2	4	1	.2482
Smith, Robert E., Boston	34	109	10	27	35	3	1	1	1	..	.2477
Wanninger, Paul, Cincinnati	28	93	14	23	29	2	2	..	3	..	.2473
Rixey, Eppa, Cincinnati	34	81	6	20	21	1	..	..	5	..	.2469
Gautreau, Walter P., Boston	87	236	34	58	76	12	3	..	8	11	.246
Alexander, Grover C., St. Louis	37	94	7	23	28	3	1	..	3	..	.245
Meusel, Emil F., Brooklyn	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1	1	2	..	.2432
Bancroft, David J., Boston	111	375	44	91	115	13	4	1	8	5	.2426
Gonzales, Miguel, Chicago	39	108	15	26	35	4	1	1	4	1	.241
Robertson, Charles, Boston	28	50	3	12	12	..	..	..	3	..	.240
Butler, John S., Brooklyn	149	521	39	124	155	13	6	2	19	9	.2380
Mitchell, Clarence E., Philadelphia	19	42	3	10	13	3	..	..	2	..	.2380
Goldsmith, Harold E., Boston	22	21	1	5	6	1	..	..	1	..	.2380
Henry, Frank, New York	45	55	4	13	16	3	..	..	1	..	.2364
Clark, Daniel C., St. Louis	58	72	4	17	23	2	2	..	..	..	.2361
Taylor, James W., 30 Bos 83 New York	113	354	26	83	103	9	4	1	8	2	.2344
DeBerry, John H., Brooklyn	68	201	15	47	57	3	2	1	6	1	.2338
Flowers, D'Arcy, Brooklyn	67	231	26	54	73	5	5	2	6	2	.2337
Tremper, Overton, Brooklyn	26	60	4	14	14	..	..	..	1	..	.2333
Friberg, Bernard A., Philadelphia	111	335	31	78	92	8	3	1	17	3	.2328
Freigau, Howard E., Chicago	30	86	12	20	25	5	..	..	..	..	.2325
Comorosky, Adam, Pittsburgh	18	61	5	14	15	1	..	..	4	..	.230
Cronin, Joseph, Joseph E., Pittsburgh	12	22	2	5	6	1	..	..	..	..	.227
Decatur, Arthur, Philadelphia	29	27	2	6	6	..	..	..	3	..	.222
Yoter, Elmer, Chicago	13	27	2	6	8	1	1	..	..	..	.222
Gibson, Frank G., Boston	60	167	7	37	42	1	2	..	3	2	.2215
Root, Charles H., Chicago	48	122	15	27	35	8	..	..	5	..	.221
Thomas, Herbert, 24 Bos.; 12 New York	37	91	14	20	31	7	2	..	4	2	.2197
McQuillan, Hugh A., 11 N. Y.; 13 Bos.	24	41	1	9	10	1	..	..	5	..	.2195
Aldridge, Victor, Pittsburgh	35	96	5	21	26	5	..	..	2	..	.219
Barnes, Jesse L., Brooklyn	18	23	1	5	5	..	..	..	1	..	.2173
Luque, Adolfo, Cincinnati	29	83	9	18	24	..	3	..	1	..	.2168
Pruett, Hubert, Philadelphia	31	69	4	15	17	2	..	..	5	..	.2166
Hill, Carmen P., Pittsburgh	44	104	10	22	31	3	3	..	3	..	.212
Plitt, Norman, 19 Bklyn.; 3 N. Y.	22	19	1	4	4	..	..	..	2	..	.211
Fitzsimmons, Fred, New York	42	97	6	20	22	3	..	..	8	..	.206
Osborn, Robert, Chicago	24	39	1	8	10	..	1	..	1	..	.2051
Attreau, Richard, Philadelphia	44	83	17	17	23	1	1	1	3	1	.2048
Haines, Jesse L., St. Louis	38	114	6	23	29	3	..	..	4	..	.202
Kolp, Ray C., Cincinnati	24	20	3	4	4	..	..	..	1	..	.200
Dawson, Joseph, Pittsburgh	20	25	1	5	5	..	..	..	1	..	.200
Nehf, Arthur N., 21 Cinn.; 8 Chicago	29	20	1	4	5	1	..	..	1	..	.200
Mogridge, George, Boston	20	15	1	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	.200
Pinelli, Ralph, Cincinnati	30	76	11	15	20	2	..	1	2	2	.197
Sherdel, William, St. Louis	39	72	9	14	19	2	..	1	6	..	.1943
Thevenow, Thomas J., St. Louis	59	191	23	37	45	6	1	..	2	2	.1938
Genewich, Joseph, Boston	40	57	3	11	12	1	..	..	3	..	.1929
Blake, J. Fred, Chicago	32	83	2	16	16	..	..	..	4	..	.1927
Hamby, Sanford, New York	21	52	6	10	12	..	1	..	..	1	.192
Sukeforth, Clyde L., Cincinnati	38	58	12	11	13	2	..	..	3	2	.190
Grimes, Burleigh A., New York	39	96	10	18	22	4	..	..	5	..	.188
Carlson, Harold G., 12 Phila.; 27 Chgo.	39	92	5	17	17	..	..	..	4	..	.185
May, Frank S., Cincinnati	44	76	6	14	19	3	1	..	7	..	.184
Miljus, John K., Pittsburgh	19	28	2	5	6	1	..	..	1	..	.179
Benton, Lawrence J., 11 Bos.; 31 N. Y.	42	68	5	12	13	1	..	..	11	..	.1764
McGraw, Robert E., 1 Bklyn.; 18 St. L.	19	34	4	6	13	..	2	1	4	1	.1764
Pick, Edgar E., Chicago	54	181	23	31	46	5	2	2	6	..	.171
Kremer, Remy, Pittsburgh	35	83	3	14	21	1	..	2	3	..	.169
Vance, Arthur C., Brooklyn	34	90	10	15	18	3	..	..	6	..	.1666
Greenfield, Kent, 12 N. Y.; 27 Boston	39	66	4	11	11	..	..	..	8	..	.1666
Yde, Emil O., Pittsburgh	23	18	2	3	5	..	1	..	..	..	.1666
Wertz, Henry, Boston	42	43	2	7	9	..	1	..	2	..	.163
Cvengros, Michael, Pittsburgh	23	19	2	3	4	1	..	..	1	..	.158
Meadows, H. Lee, Pittsburgh	40	115	3	18	20	..	1	..	8	..	.157
Morrison, John D., Pittsburgh	21	13	..	2	4	..	1	..	1	..	.154
Clark, William W., Brooklyn	27	21	..	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	.143
Elliott, James T., Brooklyn	30	64	1	9	13	4	..	..	1	..	.141
O'Neill, George M., New York	16	38	2	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	.132
Doak, William L., Brooklyn	27	47	3	6	8	2	..	..	8	..	.128
Morrison, W. Guy, Boston	11	8	1	1	4	..	..	1	..	..	.125
Ulrich, Frank, Philadelphia	32	73	3	9	9	..	..	..	3	1	.1232
Bush, Guy T., Chicago	36	65	3	8	9	1	..	..	5	..	.1232
Barnes, Virgil J., New York	35	83	5	9	9	..	..	..	4	..	.108
Ferguson, Alexander, Philadelphia	31	70	4	7	7	..	..	..	10	..	.100
Petty, Jesse L., Brooklyn	42	91	3	9	12	1	1	..	1	..	.099
Bell, Herman S., St. Louis	25	11	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	.091
Willoughby, Claude, Philadelphia	35	26	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	.077
Rhem, Charles F., St. Louis	27	59	3	4	5	1	..	..	3	..	.068
O'Donnell, Harry, Philadelphia	16	16	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	.063
Clarkson, William H., New York	26	20	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	.050
Edwards, Foster H., Boston	32	22	3	1	2	1	..	..	4	..	.045
McWeeny, Douglas, Brooklyn	34	47	..	2	2	..	..	..	6	..	.043
Brillheart, John B., Chicago	32	44	1	1	1	..	..	..	6	..	.023
Cooney, John, Boston	10	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.000
Jacobson, Merwin, Brooklyn	11	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	.000
Layne, Herman, Pittsburgh	11	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.000
Mills, Arthur, Boston	15	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.000
McNamara, John R., Boston	11	9	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	.000

PLAYERS IN LESS THAN TEN GAMES

Name and Club—	Bats.	G.	Pct.	Names and Club—	Bats.	G.	Pct.
Maranville, W. J., St. Louis	R	9	.241	Boney, H., New York	R	3	.000
Thomas, F., New York	R	9	.000	Cheeves, V., New York	R	3	.000
Hearn, E. R., Boston	L	8	.400	Knight, J. A., Boston	L	3	.000
Frankhouse, F. M., St. Louis	R	8	.250	Walker, W., New York	L	3	.000
Bentley, J. N., New York	L	8	.222	Taber, E., Philadelphia	L	3	.000
Nichols, C., Pittsburgh	R	8	.111	Wilkie, H., Chicago	R	3	.000
Hohman, W., Philadelphia	R	7	.273	Mahaffey, L., Pittsburgh	R	2	.000
Graves, S., Boston	R	7	.250	Miller, R., Philadelphia	R	2	.333
Jablonowski, P., Cincinnati	R	6	.545	Holland, H., New York	R	2	.000
Cantrell, G. D., Brooklyn	R	6	.333	Grampp, H., Chicago	R	2	.000
Baldwin, H. C., Philadelphia	R	6	.313	Johnson, S., St. Louis	R	2	.000
Sicking, E., Pittsburgh	R	6	.145	O'Neal, O. H., Philadelphia	R	2	.000
Marriott, W. E., Brooklyn	L	6	.111	Peel, H., St. Louis	R	2	.000
Dean, W. O., 2 Phila., 3 Chi.	L	5	.667	Churry, J., Chicago	R	1	1.000
Cantwell, B. C., New York	R	5	.250	Moss, R., Brooklyn	R	1	.333
Weinert, P. H., Chicago	L	5	.200	Walsh, A., Philadelphia	R	1	.250
Jordan, B., New York	L	5	.200	McInnis, J. P., Philadelphia	R	1	.000
Deitrick, W. A., Philadelphia	R	5	.167	Porter, N. S., New York	R	1	.000
Roettger, W., St. Louis	R	5	.000	Peery, G. A., Pittsburgh	L	1	.000
White, J. P., Cincinnati	Both	5	.000	Rudolph, R., Boston	R	1	.000
Roettger, O., Brooklyn	R	5	.000	Dyer, E. H., St. Louis	L	1	.000
Haney, F., Chicago	R	4	.000	Johnson, A., New York	L	1	.000
Beckman, J. J., Cincinnati	R	4	.000	Welch, J. V., Chicago	L	1	.000
Fewster, W. L., Brooklyn	R	4	.000	Smith, R., New York	R	1	.000
Faulkner, J. L., New York	L	3	.500	Wolf, R., Cincinnati	R	1	.000
Klinger, J., New York	R	3	.400	Sewell, T., Chicago	L	1	.000
Schang, R., St. Louis	R	3	.200	Bartell, R., Pittsburgh	R	1	.000
				Baecht, E., Philadelphia	R	1	.000

CLUB BATTING.

Clubs.	G.	AB.	R.	Opp. Runs.	H.	TB.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SH.	SB.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	156	5397	817	659	1648	2224	258	78	54	214	65	.305
New York	155	5372	817	720	1594	2296	251	62	109	189	73	.297
Chicago	153	5303	750	661	1505	2119	266	63	74	207	65	.284
Philadelphia	155	5317	678	903	1487	1966	216	46	57	177	68	.280
Boston	155	5370	651	771	1498	1947	216	61	37	197	100	.279
St. Louis	153	5207	754	665	1450	2124	264	79	84	171	110	.2786
Cincinnati	153	5185	643	653	1439	1992	222	77	29	219	62	.2775
Brooklyn	154	5193	541	619	1314	1774	195	74	39	164	106	.253
League total		42344	5651	5651	11935	16232	1888	540	483	1551	649	.282

Navy Urges Settlement

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Predicting that prominent universities ultimately will "refuse all athletic contest with West Point," Representative Britten, Illinois, ranking Republican of the House Naval Committee, said yesterday that Annapolis is not alone in its demand that the military academy adopt the three-year eligibility rule.

"Other foremost universities have protested to West Point without effect," he added.

Secretary Davis of the War Department "cannot fail to be impressed with the unreasonableness in West Point's insistence to ignore the rules governing sports in every other first class university," Britten said in anticipating the war secretary's appearance before his committee on his resolution to provide equal rules on athletic contests between the two academies.

The Illinois representative said it was up to Secretary Davis to stop West Point from writing sarcastic letters to Annapolis. He declared the institutions are not rivals and that the government would insist upon them being conducted along the highest standards in everything they do.

Britten charged that Sprague, Saunders, Cagle and Wilson on the Army team last fall were ineligible to play on any American university team and that for the past seven years players who were all-America stars before entering West Point were responsible for Navy defeats. Eighty per cent of the football stars resigned from the Army soon after graduating from West Point, the representative said. He expressed the hope that the academies would meet on the gridiron next fall.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Although expressing regret that a break should occur between athletic teams representing the Army and Navy, the Athletic News, published yesterday by the United States Naval Academy, states that "everything possible has been done to avoid it, but it is felt that this is the proper time to once and for all settle the question of eligibility."

The current issue is devoted singularly to the athletic controversy regarding the three-year eligibility rule, now enforced by the Midshipmen and which the Naval Academy has asked West Point to adopt.

It supports the view of Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, superintendent, in his refusal to make further negotiations with West Point authorities for a 1928 Army-Navy football game, and editorially comments that * * * "In time the Military Academy will be compelled to play the larger institutions under rules approximately what the Naval Academy demands today."

The News points out that "there were 64 years of varsity experience on the 1927 Army team—an average of 5.8 years per position," and cites nine players on the Military Academy team this year who, it says, have had from four to seven years' football experience.

"It is believed," the article concludes, "that for the good of the sport that there should be a parity of competition between the leading contenders, and the Navy asks nothing more than the generally accepted eligibility rules as adopted by all leading institutions."

SHARON

(GIRLS.)

December 29—Sharon at Mercer.
January 6—Sharon at Warren, O.
January 13—New Castle at Sharon.
January 14—Sharon at Grove City.
January 20—Franklin at Sharon.
January 27—Sharon at Farrell.
February 3—Grove City at Sharon.
February 17—Farrell at Sharon.
February 18—Sharon at New Castle.
March 3—Holy Name of Cleveland at Sharon.

WESTERN ALL-STARS DOWN EASTERN ELEVEN, 16-6

Well, Anyway, Godfrey Showed 'Em He Was Big

★ SUN-TELEGRAPH ★ SPORTS ★

SHOTS and PASSES

by Julius Levin

AMERICAN PRO LEAGUE.
Chicago at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
COUNTY LEAGUE.
Goose Goslins at Rauhs.
P. & O. LEAGUE.
Somermans at St. Catherines.
WEST PENN LEAGUE.
Sharpsburg Y at Webster Hall.
Trinity at Knickerbockers.
CENTRAL LEAGUE.
Lancers at Crafton M. E.
METROPOLITAN LEAGUE.
Coraopolis Y at [illegible] Club.
ALLEGHENY VALLEY LEAGUE.
Colfax Power at Springdale Amici.
GRT. PGH. LYCEUM LEAGUE.
Foresters at Medic.
POPULAR LEAGUE.
Homestead Turners at Shaeffer Club.
CITY JUNIOR LEAGUE.
East Liberty Y Juniors at Mt. Washington Triangles.
MIDGET LEAGUE.
Martens at Goodwill.
JOHNSTOWN LYCEUM LEAGUE.
St. Columbias at Sacred Heart.
St. Mary's at St. Johns.
Holy Trinity at St. Mary's Sokols.
St. Josephs at St. Benedicts.
PIONEER LYCEUM LEAGUE.
Manchester at St. Michaels.
Pittsburgh Lyceum at St. Joseph's.
MAJOR LEAGUE.
Jack Schneiders at Tempest Club.
JUNIOR LYCEUM LEAGUE.
St. Joseph at St. Anthony.

THE Enoch Rauh Club will be out for revenge tonight when it entertains the crack Goose Goslins of the South Side in an Allegheny County League battle at Columbus Temple.

The Goslins defeated the Rauhs in the opening contest of the season and it is the intention of the Columbus Temple passers to turn the tables tonight.

The Rauhs have shown steady improvement in their team play since the injection of Harry Levine, former Pitt captain and star forward. Levine will likely start at forward tonight.

THE Goldensons of the South Side, apparently beaten out by the J. J. Mieles for the first-half championship of the Pittsburgh and Ohio Valley League, are not to be caught for the second half, the management having announced the signing of Chubby Smith, Mt. Washington athlete, who starred for the Allentown Turners last winter.

Smith is just recovering from illness and will not be ready to join the Goldensons for several weeks. However, Smith is certain to appear in the uniform of the South Siders when the second half of the season gets under way.

A fine guard, Smith should bolster the lineup of the popular South Siders.

DRIBBLES

Geneva College will make its first appearance of the season in Pittsburgh Thursday night when it clashes with the Young Men's Hebrew Association quintet on the Y. M. H. A. floor.

The Somerman Club will be the attraction of St. Catherines at Beechview tonight in the only P. & O. League game on the schedule.

Manchester Community Lyceum and St. Joseph Protectory are setting the pace in the Pioneer Lyceum League, each showing four victories and one defeat.

The J. J. Mieles and the R. L. Succops are scheduled to meet tomorrow night on the South Side Market House floor in a game that should prove one of the best of the P. & O. League schedule. The Mieles have won their last eight games.

While Goldenson Furnitures are centering their attention on the game with the St. Richards Club at the Holy Trinity Hall tomorrow evening, they are also making preparations for the contest with the R. L. Succops at the South Side Market House Friday night. The Succops, South Side rivals, have scored victories in their last three games and are keen to even the season's count with the green-clad opponents.

Tomorrow night the Webster Hall team of the West Penn League will meet the Wash-Jeff quintet on the Webster Hall floor. The Oakland team is composed mainly of Washington boys and many of their friends will accompany the Presidents here for the game.

The Goldenson Vanities are gradually earning recognition as the leading girls basketball team in this section of the state. The South Siders have won five games in a row and have yet to suffer their first defeat. Dates are open for games at home and abroad. Call Hemlock 2558 or 6522-J.

North Side fans will have their first opportunity of the year to see the Knickerbocker Club in action. The Lawrenceville basketeers, who are leading the West Penn League, are scheduled to meet the Heinz House team at the Heinz House floor tomorrow night and one of the best games in amateur circles this season looms up.

COLLEGE

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Graduate Manager K. E. Davis, Publicity Director Don Saunders, Student Manager McKee, Trainer Ollie DeVictor, Team Physician Tom Kendricks and Chief Scout and Assistant Coach Alex Stevenson.

The Panthers are scheduled for stops at Dodge City, Kan.; Ash Fork, Ariz. and Albuquerque, N. M. Pitt will arrive in Pasadena Saturday morning and will drill Saturday and Sunday in the Rose Bowl.

Local college sport fans will be served two first-class collegiate basketball games to care for their appetites this week while awaiting the game next Monday. Tonight, on the Bluff court, Duquesne's Dukes will play their second game of the season, meeting Marietta College.

Pitt's undefeated quintet, with triumphs over Michigan, Northwestern, Chicago, Iowa and Dartmouth, will rest today and tomorrow, but will begin preparations for the Ohio State game, carded for Saturday night, on Thursday.

Three tri-state district graduate managers, Overend of Tech, Holahan of Duquesne and Stansbury of West Virginia, will leave Pittsburgh today for New York, where they will attend the annual officials' meeting, which opens tomorrow.

Pitt's graduate manager, K. E. Davis, is en route to the coast with the football team, but the Panthers will be well represented by Director of Athletics Elmer Blakeslee and Dean H. E. Friesell, commissioner of the Tristate Conference. Coach Elmer Layden will help Holahan represent the Dukes, and Roger (Buck) Baird will represent local officials.

Another college basketball team will be in the city tomorrow, Red Kirkman bringing his Wash-Jeff squad here for a barnstorming game with Webster Hall. Red is both captain and coach of the Presidents, acting in the latter capacity until Andy Kerr gets back from the Pacific coast. The Presidents will return to Pittsburgh on Friday for a game with the Hilltop boys.

KERRMEN GET BAD START

East-West Lineup

West—16.		East—6.
Sikes, Tex. A. M.	R. E.	Scott, Yale
Kuhn, Olympic	R. T.	Douds, W. & J.
Wright, Wash.	R. G.	Hanson, Minn.
Carrothers, St. Ig.	C.	Reitsch, Illinois
Brewster, Tex. Ch.	L. G.	Baer, Michigan
Yoder, Olympic	L. T.	Randels, Nebraska
Matthews, Tex. C.	L. E.	Fishwick, Yale
Kutsch, Olympic	Q.	Amos, W. & J.
Hunt, Tex Ag.	R. H.	Presnell, Nebraska
Kaer, Olympic	L. H.	Caldwell, Yale
Wilson, Wash.	F.	Joesting, Minn.

Score by periods:

West	9	7	0	0—16
East	0	0	6	0—6

West scoring: Touchdowns—Hunt, Mann (sub for Hunt). Try for extra point—Wilson 2. Safety—Amos, thrown.

East scoring: Touchdown—Caldwell.

Officials—Referee, Evans, Millikin College; umpire, Kiawans, Chicago; head linesman, Daise, Minnesota; field judge, Braddock, Pennsylvania.

By Universal Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Outplaying the Eastern stars who had been prime favorites, the Western All-Stars won yesterday the third annual East-West football game for the benefit of the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital. The score was 16 to 6.

The West scored its first touchdown right after the opening of the game, when Presnell fumbled and the West recovered on the East 20-yard line. Then Hunt swept around end for the touchdown. Wilson kicked goal.

Shortly after the opening of the second period the West forced the play deep into the East territory and Joesting was forced to fall back behind his own line to kick. The pass from Reitsch, University of Illinois, was low and the Minnesota fullback was tackled behind his own goal line for a safety.

The West's second touchdown also came in the second period and followed a mixture of line bucks and forward passes that had carried the ball to the Eastern 17-yard line. Kutsch passed to Mann for the touchdown.

The Easterners hit their stride in the third period. With Caldwell and Joesting alternating carrying the ball, they swept the coast men before them in an unstoppable rush that sent Caldwell over for a touchdown. The try for point was blocked.

In a desperate attempt to win, the East took to the air in the final period, but only one of their many attempted forward passes was successful.

SOUTH WINS, 8 TO 0

By Universal Service.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—Southern All-Stars won an 8-to-0 decision over the Western eleven before a crowd of some 12,000 spectators in the Los Angeles coliseum yesterday. A fumble, which was picked up by Creson on the West's three-yard line midway in the first period, resulted in a touchdown when Middlekauf plunged over center for the score. Late in the final quarter, a blocked kick was recovered behinds the West's goal line by Laranetta for a safety and two points for the Dixie players.

BATTING

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official batting records of the league for 1927, which are made public today.

Brother Paul took part in 155 battles and hit for an even .380. Rogers Hornsby and Brother Lloyd were Paul's hardest competitors.

Hornsby, runnerup to the Pirate rightfielder, hung up a mark of .361 in the same number of games as that played by Paul. Sprout took part in 150 engagements and batted .355.

The kid centerfielder spurted from mid-season right down through the home stretch and up to the finishing gong. Had the season gone along another month Lloyd might have overtaken Hornsby and Paul.

GENERAL LEADER

Besides leading in batting average, the elder Waner was out in front in most hits, with 237; in three-baggers, with 17 and in total bases, with 338.

Lloyd and Hornsby tied in scoring leadership, according to the official figures. Each tallied 133 runs.

Riggs Stephenson, Chicago slugger, was ahead in doubles with 46.

The home-run fight ended in a fine draw between Hack Wilson of the Cubs and Cy Williams of the Phillies. Hack and Cy each hit for the circuit 30 times.

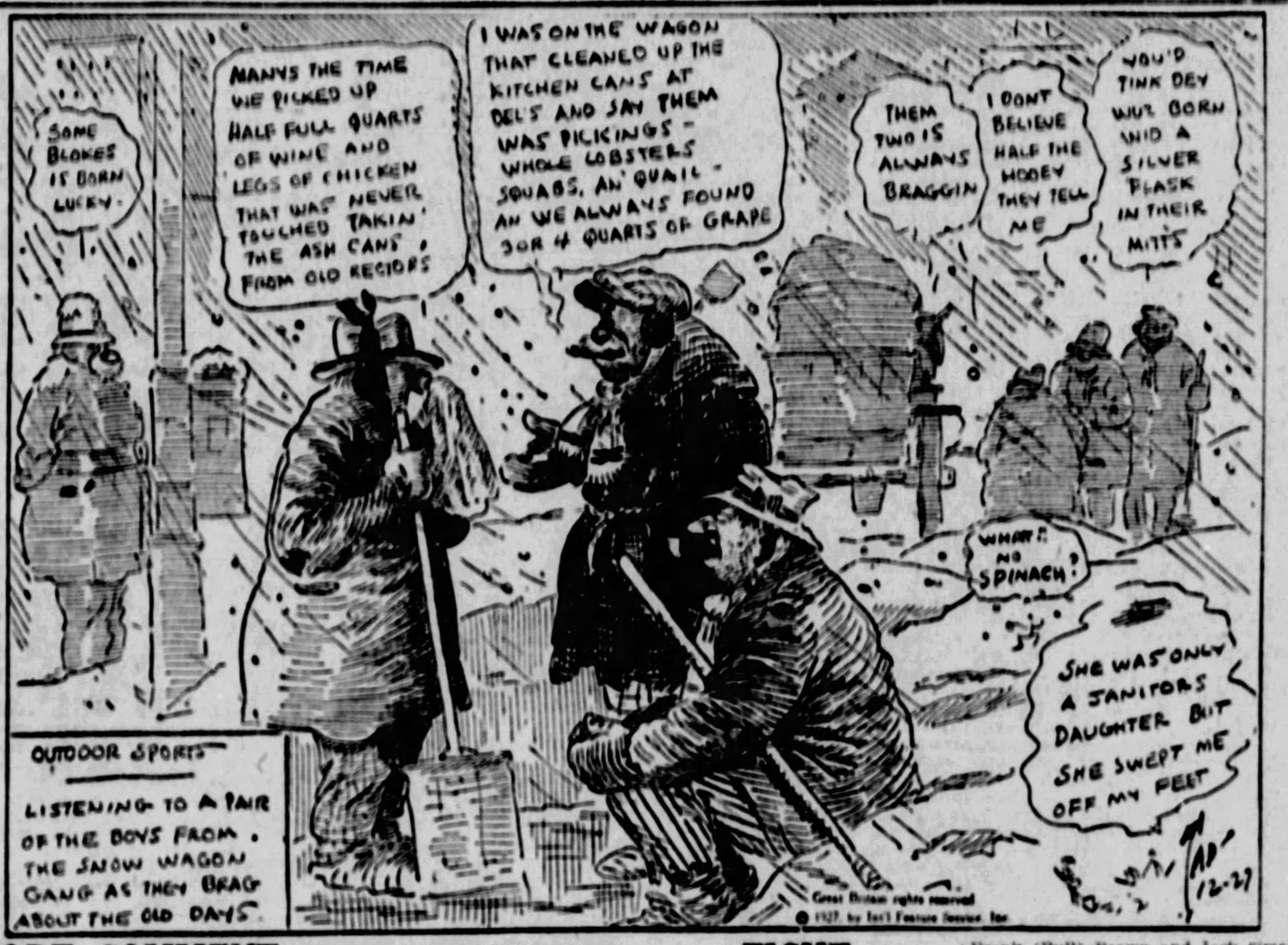
Frank Frisch, with 48 thefts, led the base-stealers and Pie Traynor, captain of the Pirates, was the most consistent sacrifice hitter with 35.

Three players took part in all their clubs' games: Rogers Hornsby, New York, who played in 155 games; Frank Frisch, St. Louis, 153 games, and Edward Brown, Boston, 155 games. Brown has now taken part in 575 consecutive games, a new National League record that surpasses the former mark of 533 made by Fred Luderus while with Philadelphia.

BEE STING ON TONGUE CAUSES DEATH OF MAN

BOWERSTOWN, O., Dec. 27.—Cancer of the tongue, caused by a bee sting, caused the death of Alexander S. Renicker.

OUTDOOR SPORTS -:- -:- -:- By TAD


SOME BLOKES IS BORN LUCKY
MANYS THE TIME WE PICKED UP HALF FULL QUARTS OF WINE AND LEGS OF CHICKEN THAT WAS NEVER TOUCHED TAKIN' THE ASH CANS FROM OLD RESIDES
I WAS ON THE WAGON THAT CLEANED UP THE KITCHEN CANS AT DEL'S AN' SAY THEM WAS PICKINGS — WHOLE LOBSTERS, SQUABS, AN' QUAIL AN WE ALWAYS FOUND 3 OR 4 QUARTS OF GRAPE
THEM TWO IS ALWAYS BRAGGIN
I DONT BELIEVE HALF THE HOOEY THEY TELL ME
YOU'D TINK DEY WUZ BORN WID A SILVER FLASK IN THEIR MITTS
WHAT? NO SPINACH?
SHE WAS ONLY A JANITORS DAUGHTER BUT SHE SWEPT ME OFF MY FEET
OUTDOOR SPORTS
LISTENING TO A PAIR OF THE BOYS FROM THE SNOW WAGON GANG AS THEY BRAG ABOUT THE OLD DAYS.
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SPORT COMMENT

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climate when they begin to exert themselves, not to mention the fact that Pop Warner has personally scouted the locals, whereas Coach Sutherland never has seen the Stanford team at work, and it will be seen that Pitt's chances for victory are far from encouraging.

Even with both teams at their best and playing on a 50-50 basis in the matter of form and climatic conditions, there would be little choice as to the probable winner.

But as it is, the Panthers are bound to suffer a loss of 25 per cent or more as compared with their Thanksgiving Day form, through inactivity alone, and after the long trip and against acclimatized opponents it appears that only something in the nature of a football miracle can save them from defeat.

NO HIGHER praise of the Pitt coaches and gridders of 1927 has come from any source than was sung out by Chalky Williamson during a holiday football discussion here. He pronounces the present Panthers the best coached team he ever saw.

Williamson, it will be recalled, was one of the local university's finest athletes in his day, winning letters in both football and baseball. On the gridiron, in particular, he was a shining light in 1913, 1914 and 1915, being captain in 1915, and throughout his career proving one of the best players and smartest field generals that the Blue and Gold ever had.

Later he took up coaching, and then came back to Pitt as an assistant coach, retiring after the season of 1926.

SO IT is clear that Chalky knows his stuff, and when a man of such long experience, who played on great elevens here under Pop Warner, played against many other fine ones of that time, and has had a chance to observe numerous additional classy outfits since those days, goes so far as to name the Pitt team now speeding coastward as the best coached combination he ever saw, it amounts to the loftiest tribute yet paid to Dr. Sutherland, Charley Bowser and the rest.

"WITHOUT hesitation I can say that the Pitt team of 1927 is the best coached that has ever come to my notice," said Williamson. "Possibly one or two Panther teams of a decade ago had greater natural strength, but the present aggregation is better coached all around and has fewer imperfections than any other that I ever saw.

"Furthermore, the 1927 team is the best fighting eleven in a general sense that I ever saw. There have been other notable teams in that respect, but the fighting spirit was due to the influence of two or three or four players of the hustling type whose example inspired the rest, whereas on the 1927 eleven the inspiration of a few was not needed, as every man in the lineup was a fighter on his own hook, and needed no examples to keep him on his toes."

WHILE Williamson modestly tried to give the present coaches all the credit for the high general quality of the 1927 Panthers, everyone who has been following the work of the Blue and Gold in recent seasons, including this year, realizes that Chalky himself was largely responsible for the efficiency displayed in at least one department. That is the punting.

For several campaigns Pitt has ranked high in punting, and more than one victory has been scored because the Panthers surpassed their foemen in that branch of play. Well, that strong point was due to the coaching of Williamson, for it was he who taught the booters how to punt spirals, etc., and at the same time to use their heads as well as their feet—to place the ball in the right spot and to get accuracy as well as distance into their kicks.

EVEN this year the results of Williamson's teaching have been in evidence, as Jimmy Hagan, whose punting was a feature of practically every game, was coached in that department by Chalky prior to 1927.

Williamson always refused to take any credit for the skill shown by the Pitt punters. "There is no credit at all coming to me," he would say when anyone attempted to compliment him upon the way the kickers performed. "If any credit is due it should go to Nubs Harlan. He taught me how to punt in my playing days, and I merely passed it along to the Pitt boys."

SPEAKING of SPORTS

by HARRY KECK

SUN-TELEGRAPH SPORTS EDITOR

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the fight, and I know he'll never forget that vote of confidence from this man who sought him out to tell him he was satisfied.

AS FOR Ray, he asked me to place the blame, if any was coming, on himself.

"If you rap the show don't take it out on the club or the boxing commission," he said. "Shoot at me. I made the match, had faith in the ability of Jones to make a fight of it and prevailed upon the commission to let me use him against Godfrey, whom the fans wanted to see. The crowd turned out for Godfrey and he did his part, but I was wrong about Jones. I'll stand the gaff."

Somehow, it's hard to take a slam at a fellow who invites you to make a target of him and is game enough to admit a blunder and stand the consequences.

ANYWAY, the Godfrey fight is out of the way now. The fans have had their peek at the big fellow and probably are satisfied that it will take a good man to whip him, even if they didn't get much of a line on his stock in trade. They've heard so much about the Black Shadow and what a menace he is to the white heavyweights that they were curious to see him, and they got plenty of an eyeful of the 240-pound behemoth. It was unfortunate that his opponent made such a feeble effort to fight, but that, in the light of the fireworks Jones displayed the night he boxed Greb here and his work aginst Greb in other cities and against other leading boxers the world over, hardly could be foreseen. The Motor Square Club was sincere in offering him as an opponent for Godfrey, of that there can be no doubt, and, judging from the matches it has arranged for next week and has in prospect for future shows, it will not be long before the fiasco of yesterday is forgotten.

INCIDENTALLY, speaking of Johnny Ray, whose real name is Harry Pitler, his brother, Jake Pitler, former Pirate second baseman, was one of the spectators at the boxing show, coming down from his home in Oil City to spend Christmas with his folks. He left to return to Oil City immediately after the bouts.

Jake will be back in organized baseball next season, but so far has not connected with a berth. He stayed out of baseball all of this year to be eligible for reinstatement next year.

Jake is the owner of billiard and bowling alleys in Oil City and Grove City. He started out in baseball with the old Pittsburgh Collegians under the management of Dick Guy and in 1913 went to Jackson, Mich., in the South Michigan League, where he remained throughout the 1914 season and part of 1915, when he was sold to the Detroit Tigers. Detroit, then managed by Hughey Jennings, kept Jake four days and farmed him to Chattanooga in the Southern Association, where he finished the 1915 season and played in 1916 and 1917 until sold to the Pirates. He reported here on Memorial Day and finished the season at second base for the Corsairs.

The next year Jake jumped to the Aluminum team of New Kensington and from there to Oil City in the old Oil City-Franklin Two Team League, an outlaw organization. He played with Oil City during 1918, '19, '20 and '21, and the next season found him at Hornell, N. Y. In 1923 and '24, he managed Mahanoy City in the Anthracite League, and 1925 and '26 found him at Racine, Wis., while he remained out of competition last year. He has maintained his business interests throughout his many baseball shifts.

Jake is still a nifty second-sacker and a good hitter. He'll make a valuable pickup for a minor league club of high classification, and, being a free agent, should be able to pull down a good proposition.

JAKE and his brother, Johnny, have another brother well known in the sports realm. He is Dave Pitler, former Fifth Avenue High School and Pitt backfield player. Dave is as versatile as his brothers have proved, for he was graduated as a dentist from Pitt and established two offices, one of them downtown, and, after several years of practice, took up the study of law and now has forsaken his dental work in favor of a Blackstone career.

BOY HUNTER SHOOTS 20-POUND WILD TURKEY

CUMBERLAND, Md., Dec. 27.—Raymond Felker, 14, of near Peoples Park, bagged a 20-pound wild turkey while gaming on Haystack Mountain near the city limits.

FIGHT

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the head, but was up without a count and Godfrey continued the assault, but did not appear to be scoring cleanly. He backed the Soldier, who scaled only 184½ pounds against his 240, to the ropes several times and then piled in close and Jones sank down again, along the ropes near a neutral corner. The Soldier wrapped his arms about his body as he fell and was grunting as if in pain when he reached the floor, where his first act was to reach out and pull himself under the lower rope. He gradually inched his way forward, grunting all the while, until he grasped the end of the ring platform, looking all the time squarely into this writer's face. He acted for all the world like a man under the influence of intoxicants rather than one who had just been knocked out by a blow to the head or body, and I thought he was trying to reach me to take a sock at me, and retreated accordingly. When the count was completed, Jones was pulled back into the ring and helped to his chair.

CROWD BOOS "KNOCKOUT"

All the prestige Jones won for himself by knocking Harry Greb flat with a right hand punch in the same ring several years ago and then standing up under a terrific slugging as Harry came back was shot full of holes by the Soldier's pitiful exhibition against Godfrey. Even considering the difference in weight between the men it was inexcusable. No finishing punch was discernible and Jones was not "out" when he went down for the second and last time. It looked like a flop.

The crowd naturally booed and it booed again when it was announced that Godfrey had won in 55 seconds. Yet virtually all of the fans came to see Godfrey and did not count Jones an opponent of high merit. If Jones had made an attempt to fight, they would have been able to get a line on just how good Godfrey is or isn't, but the "fight" was over all too quickly as matters turned out. The "victory" came under the head of easy money for Godfrey and reflected little credit on him, although it was no fault of his, of course, that his opponent was not made of sterner stuff.

Jimmy Dougherty of Lieperville, Pa., manager of Godfrey, was in the latter's corner. Dougherty is the former pal and now enemy of Jack Dempsey and refereed the latter's bout with Tommy Gibbons at Shelby, Mont., back in 1923.

JOHNSON SHOWS CLASS

Dougherty also was in the corner of George Gemas of Philadelphia against Garfield Johnson, Negro of Seattle, in the eight-round semi-final, but didn't have a winner this time. Johnson impressed as a black Harry Greb. He weathered a sultry first round and from then on bounced about the ring with the grace of a gazelle and smacked the willing and dangerous Gemas with everything but the ring posts. Gemas again displayed the wonderful ability to assimilate punishment and fine showmanship that featured his recent bout with Emmett Rocco here and would be welcomed back any time. He went to his knees and claimed a foul as the bell ended the third round against Johnson, but it wasn't allowed. Johnson made a big hit. He is every bit the fine boxer, speed artist and all-round fighter his advance notices from the Coast proclaimed him to be and belongs in big-time company. He weighed 175 pounds against 185 for Gemas.

Bruno Scalla of Donora, 163½ pounds, defeated Ray Crawford of McKeesport, 173, in a hard-fought six-round bout in which the winner took a nine count in the second round, and Evan Gustafson of Kane, Pa., 185½, outlasted Tony Mack of McKeesport, 186, substituting for Dick Gibbons, in the six-round opener, winning by a technical knockout after 2 minutes 38 seconds of the slugging in the second round.

REFEREES UNDER WRAPS

Three referees were used, Eddie Kennedy officiating in the main event, Joe Keally in the first and third and Red Robinson in the second. They worked under the commission's new rules, which provide that they are not to use their hands on the boxers any more than necessary and are to do as little talking as possible to the contestants during the progress of the rounds. The trial proved very satisfactory.

Frank (Bull) Brown and Jock Simes were the judges and Arthur Couch acted as timekeeper.

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CLAIM NATIONAL TITLE

WACO, Tex., Dec. 27.—Following its 44-12 triumph over the Cathedral Latin High eleven of Cleveland yesterday, which was scored before a record crowd of 20,000 spectators, the Waco High School eleven is laying claim to the national scholastic football championship today. The Waco eleven outplayed the Ohioans throughout the contest.

BOXING NOTES

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Harry Taylor of the North Side, lightweights, who put up a hard fight at Motor Square Garden Monday night of last week, will hook up again in the first bout.

Red Chapman and Al Corbett will provide the main bout thrills in the Motor Square ring Monday night, January 9. They have boxed twice before. Chapman stopped the Clevelander in four rounds at Boston and the pair then battled 10 hard rounds in Cleveland. Both have beaten Tommy Crowley here, Chapman by a knockout in one round and Corbett by the decision route.

Dugey O'Hara of McKeesport was a busy man at Motor Square Garden yesterday afternoon. He handled a fighter in each bout. He was behind Tony Mack in the first bout and Ray Crawford in the second and helped Jimmy Dougherty to second George Gemas in the semi-final and George Godfrey in the windup.

Tug Phillips won over Pickles Donahoe in 10 rounds at East Liverpool yesterday while Andy Tomosky lost a hard-fought 10-round battle to Tony Ascencio, claimant of the European featherweight championship, at the Arena in Philadelphia and Johnny Dunn defeated Eddie Meichler in six rounds at Buffalo. Bobby Richardson lost to Al Trainor and Hugh Haggerty was beaten by George Pavlig in bouts at Johnstown. Ascencio has scored two knockouts in less than as many rounds in bouts in Philadelphia before engaging Tomosky.

An amateur boxing show for members will be staged at the South Hills Country Club this evening.

An effort is being made to rematch Johnny Risko and Paulino Uzcudun for a bout in Madison Square Garden, New York, on either January 20 or 27, with Knute Hansen and Jack Dorval in the semi-final.

BILLIARDS

THREE-CUSHION LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE PLAYERS.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Greenwood, Ellis	9	3	.750
Carter, Kalmer	7	5	.583
Jones, Kenny	7	5	.583
Pitfield, Dimling	7	5	.583
Smith, Dimling	6	6	.500
Eichenmiller, Rudy	4	7	.364
Currie, Ellis	4	8	.333
Wainwright, Rudy	3	8	.273

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE.

Tonight—Eichenmiller vs. Wainwright, at Rudy's, East Liberty; Pitfield vs. Smith, at Dimling's, Smithfield street; Currie vs. Carter, at Kalmer's, Oakland.

Wednesday—Currie vs. Eichenmiller, at Ellis', Diamond street.

Thursday—Smith vs. Greenwood, at Dimling's; Wainwright vs. Jones, at Rudy's.

HOCKEY

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did showing against the crack French team. Burke, McCaffrey and McCurry went to their homes in Toronto and will not get back until tomorrow night.

The new defense combination of Burke and McCaffrey has been functioning in such brilliant manner that Manager Cleghorn is going to keep this pair on the starting sextet, leaving McKinnon and Smith for relief duty. Both Burke and McCaffrey put up a stonewall citadel against Canadiens and if they can continue this great work in the future the Pirates are going to hold their own with every other club in the circuit.

Hib Milks has established himself among the leading scorers of the league by garnering two against Canadiens, running his total for the season to seven, exactly half of the total number of goals made by his team. Milks is playing a great game, probably better than at any time since playing professional.

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Steel Election Will Help, Washington to Be Factor.

By B. C. FORBES

BEFORE today's sun goes down an extremely interesting announcement may come from the directors meeting of the U. S. Steel Corporation. The impending news will gratify Wall Street and create national interest. As I understand it, the announcement will contain more than any of the guesses heretofore made concerning the selection of successors to Judge Gary as, first, chief executive officer; second, chairman of the board; third, chairman of the finance committee. My definite prediction some time ago that Mr. Farrell would be made the chief executive still stands.

The actual news, when it comes, is calculated to be received very cheerfully by Wall Street and all owners of steel shares.

NOTWITHSTANDING continued aggressive activity, the stock market bulls have never been able to whip quotations up to the average level reached in the first week of October.

That statement may astonish many who had assumed that the market has been going up and up. Last week brought only slight net changes at the close of each day and average prices closed almost exactly where they began.

Such action, in view of the notable activity in speculation, suggests to shrewd students of Wall Street that liquidation has been quietly going on from important sources.

AGAIN little attention was paid to developments off the floor of the Stock Exchange—especially to unfavorable developments.

The rise in call money to the moderate figure of 5 per cent at the end of the week caused more talk than the startling decrease in railway freight to the lowest total of any corresponding week since 1921. Indeed no non-holiday week had made so poor a showing in three years and eight months. This shrinkage as compared with a year ago reached 13 per cent. Latest railway earnings statements in many instances also reveal quite severe declines.

Bank clearings, on the other hand, make a much better showing, but this is due entirely to the rampant speculation in stocks. The Federal Reserve Board's latest report discloses that the expansion of more than $1,450,000,000 in bank loans and investments during the last year is attributable wholly to security demand and not at all to commercial demands. Last week brought a fresh increase of $86,000,000 in brokers' loans.

I hear that banks are beginning to exercise unusual caution in accepting as collateral certain stocks which have been abnormally boomed.

THE probability is that immediately after the turn of the year Washington will attract more attention. Apparently the radicals are going to succeed in their demands for one more probe, this time into public utilities.

Oratorical fireworks probably will be indulged in, but it is improbable that anything really injurious to the investments of the millions who now own public utility securities will be sanctioned by Congress.

Very important decisions must come before long from the Interstate Commerce Commission. Will large-scale railway consolidations be sanctioned or rejected? Thus far the commission has been obstructive. Then, the Federal Trade Commission is about ready to uncover various reports on investigations it has been conducting.

And, of course, presidential politics will come more prominently to the front.

SENTIMENT during the next two weeks doubtless will be helped somewhat by the customary avalanche of optimistic forecasts. The country will be assured by government officials, financiers, bankers, industrialists, merchants and other leaders that we are sure to enjoy prosperity during 1928. All this can scarcely fail to have some favorable influence.

And, indeed, there is little reason for taking other than a reasonably hopeful view of our general business prospects, particularly in view of the increase of $635,000,000 in crop values this year over last year's, our healthy foreign trade outlook, the prevailing high wages in most industries, the continued building activity to satisfy the widespread demand for better living conditions, the assurance of interest rates around present levels or only moderately higher, our very light inventories, our prospects for friendly relations between employers and employed, the gain in savings deposits, etc., etc.

BUT all this is no guarantee that the hectic speculation in many stocks will continue without interruption.

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PETROLEUM PRICES

Pennsylvania, New York Transit lines	$2.90
Bradford, National Transit lines	2.90
Pennsylvania, National Transit lines	2.65
Pennsylvania, Southwest Pa. Pipe lines	2.65
Pennsylvania Eureka Pipe lines	2.65
Pennsylvania, Buckeye Pipe lines	2.65
Kelster crude	1.10
Corning, Buckeye Pipe lines	1.45
Cabell grade oil in Eureka Pipe lines	1.50
Somerset oil in Cumberland Pipe lines	1.60
Ragland grade oil	.95
Western Kentucky	1.33
Lima	1.71
Indiana	1.48
Princeton	1.60
Wooster	1.57
Plymouth	1.33
Illinois	1.60
Waterloo	1.35
Saginaw (Mich.) Berea sand oil	1.95
Saginaw (Mich.) Saginaw sand, 47° grav	2.05
Petrolia (Canada)	2.11
Oil Springs (Canada)	2.18

Gasoline and Naphtha.

Gasoline, motor	19c
Gasoline, 68-70	22c
Ethyl gasoline	22c
Kerosene	19c

G. M.-U. S. STEEL LEAD MARKET ADVANCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Price movements in today's stock market lacked uniformity, but the main trend appeared to be upward, with General Motors and United States Steel common in the vanguard of the advance. Call money was marked up to 5½ per cent, following the calling of about $25,000,000 in loans, and this has a tendency to restrict speculative operations, although the higher rate was generally regarded as temporary.

Buying of Steel common was influenced, in part, by the widespread reports that J. P. Morgan would be named chairman of the board of directors of the corporation at the regular monthly meeting late this afternoon. Favorable steel trade reports also were a factor. The demand for General Motors was stimulated by rumors of several surprise features when the new Chevrolet car is introduced on January 1. Steel rallied from an early low of 152⅝ to around 155. General Motors moved up more than 2 points.

Several strong spots also developed in the public utility, fertilizer, rubber and sugar groups, while heaviness was most pronounced among the oil, copper and merchandising issues. Rails were rather quiet, although a fair demand developed for Erie common.

Manati Sugar, Commercial Solvents, Continental Insurance (old) and Collins & Aikman sold 3 to 5 points higher, while Green Cananea Copper, Montgomery-Ward, General Railway Signal and A. M. Byers sold down 3 points or more.

LOCAL STOCKS

Banks—	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Commonwealth Trust	100	245	....
Exchange National	50	51	....
First National at Pgh	100	335	....
Keystone National	100	205	....
Monongahela National	100	300	....
Third National	100	120	....
Miscellaneous—			
Am. Win. Glass Machine	100	17	....
Arkansas Natural Gas	10	8½	8¾
Blaw-Knox	25	....	99½
Carnegie Metals	10	16⅝	17
Consolidated Ice	50	3	5
Consolidated Ice pfd	50	25	30
Dixie Gas & Utilities	..	9½	....
Houston Gulf Gas	..	12	12½
Independent Brewing	50	....	1⅞
Lone Star Gas	25	53½	54
National Fireproofing	50	6⅝	....
Nat. Fireproofing pfd	50	17	19½
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt	..	49	....
Pittsburgh Steel Foundry	..	28½	....
Salt Creek Consol. Oil	10	6⅝	....
Standard Sanitary Mfg	25	107	108
United Engineering	..	31½	32
Union Steel Casting	..	....	34
Bonds—			
Independent Brewing 6s	..	....	70
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	..	....	98½
Pittsburgh Coal deb. 5s	..	....	99½
William Zoller Co. 6s	..	101	....

Sales on the Exchange.

	Shares.		Price.
Am. Window Glass Machine	30	at	24
Do	20	at	24
Do	45	at	27
National Fireproofing pfd	100	at	20½
Do	100	at	20½
Do	50	at	20⅝
Do	100	at	20
Do	100	at	20
Do	100	at	20
Do	100	at	20
Do	25	at	20
Do	100	at	20
Do	50	at	20
Do	50	at	20
Do	25	at	20
Houston Gulf Gas	25	at	12
Do	100	at	12
Do	100	at	12¼
Carnegie Metals	100	at	16
Do	200	at	16
Do	100	at	16
Do	100	at	16
Do	200	at	16
Do	30	at	16
Do	150	at	16½
Do	200	at	16⅝
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	16½
Do	1000	at	14
Do	100	at	16½
Do	100	at	17
National Fireproofing	100	at	7
Westinghouse Air Brake	25	at	46½
Blaw Knox	100	at	98½
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt	50	at	50
Do	20	at	50
Lone Star Gas	21	at	54
Do	100	at	53½
United Engineering	10	at	32
Standard Sanitary Mfg	70	at	107
Do	10	at	107
Union Steel Casting	100	at	34
Do	40	at	34

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—The cotton market opened firm today at an advance of 12 to 17 points on a renewal of last week's buying movement which seemed to find additional inspiration in reports of an improving demand for cotton goods.

Circulation of January notices estimated at about 175,000 bales, brought out some near month liquidation, but it was very readily absorbed by spot house buying at about 33 points under May, and an impression that the notices would be quickly stopped, evidently helped the tone of the general market.

January sold up from 19.34 to 19.46c by the end of the first hour, or 21 points net higher, while later deliveries showed net advances of 17 to 21 points with May selling at 19.70c.

The early advance met considerable realizing and the market lost a good part of the gain, selling off to 19.63c for May, or within 8 to 12 points of last Friday's closing quotation. The volume of business tapered off on the decline, however, while there was enough further buying on the more optimistic view of the cotton goods situation and the stopping of the January notices to give the market a generally steady undertone. At mid-day May was selling around 19.69c, with the general list about 12 to 17 points net higher.

SUGAR MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—The raw sugar market was unchanged early today at 4.05c for Cuban duty paid, with no sales reported.

The issuance of 100 January notices had a depressing effect in the raw sugar futures market during the early trading and led to considerable liquidation throughout the entire list, prices declining 1 to 2 points. They were finally stopped, however, and prices rallied on covering and buying by houses with trade and Cuban connections and at midday were net unchanged to 1 point higher. A prominent European authority estimated the beet sugar crop of Germany at 1,665,000 metric tons, or 35,000 tons below his estimate of a month ago.

The refined sugar market was steady, and while a good withdrawal demand was reported, there was not much new buying. Prices were unchanged at 5.70c to 5.80c for fine granulated.

(Quotations furnished by Fenneman & Sutter.)

	Jan.	Mar.	May.	Jul.	Sept.	Dec.
High	2.75	2.92	2.89	2.97	3.06	3.11
Low	2.72	2.90	2.88	2.96	3.04	3.11
Last	2.72	2.90	2.88	2.96	3.05	3.11

DIVIDEND INFORMATION

American Can.

American Can Company declared the regular quarterly 50 cents common dividend, payable February 15 to record January 31.

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Allied Chemical and Dye.

Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation declared the regular quarterly $1.50 common dividend, payable February 1 to record January 11.

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Anaconda Copper.

Anaconda Copper Company declared regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents, payable February 20 to record of January 14.

NEW YORK CLOSE WITH COMPARISONS

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STOCKS	Tuesday High	Tuesday Low	Tuesday Close	Close Dec.24	Close Dec.20
Un.Car&Car.	148	143½	147½	148	148½
Un. Oil Cal..	44	43⅝	43⅝	44½	45
Union Pac...	193	192¼	192¼	192⅞	194¼
Unitd Cigar S	....	....	....	33½	33½
Do. pref...	108½	108	108½	....	....
United Drug.	194	194	194	....	193½
Do 1st pf..	61	61	61	....	....
United Fruit.	144	143½	143½	143¼	143½
U S Cast I. P	216⅝	213⅜	216⅝	....	217
U. S. Distrib.	18	18	18	18	....
U. S. I. Alc'l.	108⅞	108	108¼	107⅜	109
U. S. Leath..	23¼	23	23¼	23⅛	23⅝
Do. A.....	55	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝	55
Do. P. pf..	105	105	105	....	....
U. S. Realty.	67⅛	66½	66½	65⅜	67¼
U S Rubber	56½	55¼	55¼	56¼	56
Do. 1st pf..	104¼	104	104¼	103⅞	102⅝
U S Sm&Ref.	47	46¼	46¼	47	47⅞
Do. pref...	53½	53	53½	53	....
U. S. Steel...	154⅜	152⅜	153	153⅝	147⅞
Do. pref...	141	140½	141	140⅜	139
Uni Lf Tob..	66½	66	66½	66	67½
Un Pipe & R	27⅞	27	27	27	27⅞
Do. pref...	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞	96½
Utah Cop....	159	156	156	162	147
Ut Pow&LtA	29½	29⅛	29⅛	....	29½
Vana. Steel..	65½	63⅞	64½	63⅝	64⅞
Van Raalte..	....	....	....	....	9½
Do. 1st pf..	43	42¼	42¼	....	....
Vick Chem..	59⅞	59⅜	59⅜	....	60
Victor T Mch	53½	52⅞	53¼	52⅞	53⅛
Do.C.V pf.	108½	108½	108½	....	109
Do. pr. pf..	101½	101½	101½	101½	100½
Va Ir & Coke	36	36	36	....	....
Do pref...	62½	62½	62½	....	....
VaCarChem.	14⅜	14¼	14⅜	14⅜	13¼
Do 6% pf..	48⅝	48	48	48¼	46½
Do 7% pf..	90	90	90	90	89
Viv'dou Cor.	21	20⅞	21	21	21⅜
Vulc'nDetin.	26	26	26	....	27½
Wabash R R	66	65¼	66	65	66
Do. pf. A..	93	93	93	92⅜	....
Ward Bak B	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26¼	27
Ward B pfd.	98	98	98	....	....
Warner Br A.	24	22½	23⅞	21	19
Warner Qu..	31⅜	31	31	31½	31⅜
Warren Bros	142½	141⅜	141⅜	142½	....
Do rts....	15½	14½	15½	15⅜	17½
War. P. & F.	20¼	20	20⅜	....	20½
Weber&Heil.	68¼	68¼	68¼	....	70½
West P Elec					
Do. A.....	108	108	108	....	108
Do 6% pf..	101¼	101	101	101½	101¼
Do. pref...	111⅞	111⅞	111⅞	....	112
W.Penn Pwr					
Do. 7% pf.	116⅜	116¼	116⅜	116⅜	116
Western Md.	49⅜	49¼	49⅜	49⅝	50⅜
WestDairB..	25⅝	25¼	25¼	25⅞	25⅝
West. Pac....	35⅝	35	35⅛	35⅝	37¼
Do. pref...	60½	60½	60½	60½	61⅜
West Union.	169½	169	169	170	171⅜
West'hseA B	46½	46	46	....	46½
West'hse. El.	90⅞	90½	90½	90⅜	90⅞
W. & L. E..	72	72	72	....	....
Wh EagleOil	20½	20½	20½	20⅜	20½
White Motor.	38⅜	37	38⅜	37	37⅜
White S M..	44⅜	44	44	44½	45⅜
W.R.Map.ctf	35⅛	34⅞	35⅛	....	36
Willys Over.	18⅜	18½	18½	18⅜	17⅞
Do pref....	92⅜	92⅜	92⅜	....	....
Wilson Co....	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	....	11½
Do. A.....	20½	20¼	20¼	21⅜	21
Do. pref...	65	65	65	....	65½
Woolworth..	195½	191⅜	192⅜	191⅞	192
Worth Pump	30½	29	29	30	....
Do. pf B...	44	44	44	....	45
Wright Aero.	77	75⅜	77	77	80½
WrigleyW Jr	71	70⅜	71	69½	68⅞
Yale&Towne	74	74	74	74	....
YellowT&C...	34	33½	33½	33⅜	35
Young S&T	95	94½	95	95	95
Call Money..	5½	5	5½	....	4

*Ex-dividend.

Kephart to Oppose Reed

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 27.—Politicians are momentarily expecting an announcement from Supreme Court Justice John W. Kephart as to whether he intends to seek the Republican nomination for United States Senator. Justice Kephart recently admitted he had been urged to run.

Although United States Senator David A. Reed has not yet formally announced himself a candidate to succeed himself, his friends say such an announcement will be forthcoming after the new year. Already he is considered a candidate in political circles.

Former Gov. Gifford Pinchot, defeated for the Republican nomination last year, is considered a potential candidate for the nomination for the seat now held by Senator Reed.

'FALLING STARS' LIKE RAIN

CHICAGO.—More than 10,000,000 meteors strike the earth's atmosphere daily, says Dr. Harlow Sharpley.

The moment a meteor enters the earth's atmosphere its place is slowed down by friction with the air, and its outer surface is heated by the same process. Meteoric velocities as high as 75 miles a second have been reported. Were it not for our blanket of protecting atmosphere we should be pelted continually by these bodies.

Most of them are so small, however, that the total weight added to the earth is only 36,500 tons a year. At this rate it would take 1,000,000 years to accumulate a layer one inch thick over the whole earth's surface. The largest meteor ever found in the United States was discovered at Willamett, Ore., and weighs 31,000 pounds. Admiral Peary found one in Greenland that weighs 73,000 pounds.

The Old Testament tells of men being killed by meteors, and there are smaller references in ancient Chinese and Italian history, but we have no records in modern times of any serious result from meteoric falls, although a large meteor at Marzpil, Mex., narrowly missed a ranchman in 1885.

Theoretically, the earth's encounter with meteors slows down its revolution, increases its attraction for the sun, shortens its orbit and shortens our years. But in 1,000,000 years the shortening amounts to only 1,000th of a second.

Pittsburgh Clearing House.

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Today	$28,758,865.93	$14,397,908.70
Week ago	25,334,113.41	9,498,283.15
Year ago	27,751,431.95	10,921,290.89

NEWS AND VIEWS

Fisher's Index Higher.

The weekly index number of stock exchange prices compiled by Prof. Irving Fisher is 237.4 for the past week against 234.8 for the preceding week, and 172.1 a year ago. Pro. Fisher's index number of commodity prices for the past week is 145.1, based on 100 as average for 1913, against 144.3 for preceding week.

GMO November Sales Down.

Sales of passenger cars and trucks by General Motors divisions to dealers totaled 57,621 units in November against 128,453 in October and 78,559 in November, 1926. For 11 months sales were 1,563,677 units, against 1,190,720 in 1926 period and 781,755 in 1925. Sales by General Motors dealers to consumers in November were 59,539 units against 153,533 in October, and 101,729 in November, 1926. For 11 months sales totaled 1,560,817 against 1,163,107 in the same period in 1926, and 774,927 in 1925.

Sloan Explains Drop.

A. P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors Corporation, discussing the November sales, pointed out that the sharp decrease as compared with October and the same month a year ago was due to the fact that the sales campaign this year was held in October while similar campaigns in 1926 were conducted in November. He said the decrease also reflected suspensions occasioned by inventory taking as well as reduced production incident largely to a change in Chevrolet models. This factor, he added, will also, in all probability, influence December figures.

Good Week for Equipments.

Last week witnessed the heaviest buying of freight cars since January. Total orders awarded covered 6,730 units, the largest single order being that of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe for 3,350. Louisville and Nashville purchased 1,150 cars and Chicago and North Western 1,000. In recent weeks North Western has placed orders aggregating 2,450 cars. Inquiry is active and equipment interests expected further substantial orders either before the close of the month or early in January. Boston and Maine's order for 20 large engines, placed with Lima Locomotive Works, was the first sizeable order for engines placed in several months. Total equipment orders placed in the week involve between $16,000,000 and $18,000,000.

Sugar Move Constructive.

"The most constructive move made in sugar in years," as the recent conference of refiners has been called, already has exerted its influence upon the sugar market. These conferences, embracing representatives of all sugar refiners in the United States and aimed to establish a Sugar Refiners Institute, while only of a preliminary nature, nevertheless are looked upon as a step in the right direction. For years the refined sugar business has been highly competitive, the more so because of excess refining capacity of the United States and because of the economies made possible by keeping plants running as near capacity as possible. The tendency in the past therefore, has been to obtain business regardless of market conditions, even if price sacrifices had to be made. As a result competitive methods have been of the cutthroat variety much of the time. Special concessions have been granted purchasers, often demoralizing the market and precluding refining profits.

Central's Earnings Decline.

The N. Y. Central reports for November:

	1927	1926
Operating revenue	$29,914,482	$33,941,934
Net operating income	5,080,206	5,702,917
For 11 months:		
Operating revenue	353,705,680	367,504,616
Net operating income	57,857,502	66,870,697

Wheeling-Lake Erie Net Drops.

Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad for November showed net operating income of $73,627, compared with net of $342,944 in November, 1926. Net operating income totaled $2,987,958 for 11 months, against $4,218,003 a year ago.

Louisville and Nashville.

	1927.	1926.
Operating revenue	$11,168,578	$12,291,472
Net operating income	1,422,164	2,109,325
For 11 months—		
Operating revenue	122,853,619	135,104,288
Net operating income	22,827,173	25,651,[illegible]

Atlantic Coast Line.

The Atlantic Coast Line net operating income for November was $467,632 compared with $1,266,373 in 1926, and for 11 months was $9,672,169 against $15,809,909 in 1926.

Fair Showing by St. Paul.

The St. Paul Railway reports for November net operating income $2,025,382 against $2,219,760 in 1926. For 11 months net was $14,658,609 against $17,332,600 in 1926.

Good Pipe Line Year.

Many pipe line companies are expected to show larger profits for 1927. The large production and consumption of crude oil during the year proved a boon to most of them, it is said. Seven of the 11 pipe line companies comprising the Standard Oil group reported increased deliveries and four, lower shipments compared with 1926. The group as a whole delivered in the first 11 months this year 167,497,312 barrels of crude oil, against 152,373,635 barrels in the same period last year. The daily average this year was 501,489 barrels, a gain of nearly 10 per cent.

Underwood Shows 20 Per Cent Gain.

The Underwood Typewriter Company for 10 months net income after charges was $1,979,747, against $1,642,146 in 1926, an increase of 20 per cent.

Slight Drop for Atchison.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe reports for November:

	1927	1926
Railway operating revenue	$23,028,355	$25,409,469
Operating expenses	13,534,990	14,696,792
Net operating income	7,309,632	8,415,790
For 11 months—		
Railway operating revenue	236,148,013	235,849,604
Operating expenses	164,013,025	152,753,395
Net operating income	51,294,500	61,110,533

Lehigh Valley for November.

The Lehigh Valley reports for November:

	1927	1926
Operating revenue	$6,669,344	$6,671,766
Net operating income	674,806	912,809
For 11 months—		
Operating revenue	69,055,270	73,708,883
Net operating income	9,277,477	13,023,150

ODD LOT QUOTATIONS

WANTED.

Shares.		Price.
10	Arkansas Natural Gas	8½
50	Devonian Oil	7½
21	Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt	50
25	Standard Sanitary Mfg. pfd	120

OFFERED.

Shares.		Price.
8	American Window Glass Machine	18
33	Am. Window Glass Machine pfd	40
50	Arkansas Natural Gas	9
15	Duquesne Light pfd	115
50	May Drug Stores	22½
50	Pittsburgh Brewing pfd	9½

Range in Government Bonds.

(Quoted in dollars and 32nds.)

	High.	Low.	Close.
Liberty Loan 3½s	101.28	101.22	101.26
Do. 1st 4¼s	103.13	103.13	103.13
Do. 3rd 4¼s	100.22	100.20	100.22
Do. 4th 4¼s	104.00	103.30	103.30
United States 4s	110.25	110.25	110.25
Do. 3¾s	108.00	108.00	108.00

CHICAGO BOARD

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Liberal receipts of corn had an early bearish effect on the corn market today and tended also at times to weigh down other grain. Arrivals of corn in Chicago today totaled 77 cars. Opening unchanged to ⅛c off, corn subsequently showed a moderate general setback. Wheat started at ⅛c decline to an equal advance and later receded a little all around. Oats were easy. Provisions likewise inclined downward.

Although corn prices underwent an early setback today, evidence of power to rally showed itself later. Indications of corn export business acted as considerable of an offset for a heavy influx of corn today both at Chicago and at Kansas City and Omaha as well. Besides, indications pointed to unsettled weather adverse to a continuous free movement of corn from rural sources.

Comprehensive advices at hand were to the effect that most grain dealers are not acting on the basis that latest government figures as to corn production and also regarding oats yield are over-estimates. Talk was current that this is particularly the case in many sections where the light test weight and poor quality of the feed grain have become most apparent.

The following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade are reported by A. E. Masten & Co.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday
WHEAT—					
May	1 28⅝	1 29⅝	1 28¼	1 29⅛	1 29⅜
Mar.	1 27⅝	1 27½	1 27	1 27⅝	1 27⅝
Dec.	1 24⅝	1 25⅝	1 24⅝	1 25⅛	1 25
CORN—					
May	87⅝	88⅛	87½	88⅜	88
Mar.	84⅝	85½	84	85⅜	84½
Dec.	80	81⅝	79½	81⅛	80⅝
OATS—					
May	54½	54½	54	54⅜	54⅜
Mar.	52⅝	53⅛	52⅝	53⅛	52⅞
Dec.	51½	51½	50⅝	51	51⅝
RYE—					
May	1 08	1 08	1 07	1 07⅝	1 08
LARD—					
May	12 22	12 27	12 22	12 27	12 25

LOCAL CURB

Bonds—	Bid.	Ask.
*Ally., B'vue & B'ville 5s '35	93½	95
Am. Fruit Growers 7s '29-'30	99	100
Do. 7s '31-'40	99½	100
Broadway Motors Bldg. 6s '45	100½	101½
Chicago By-Prod. Coke 5s '76	102½	103½
Citizens Water 5s '51	94	95
Do. 5½s '51	98½	100½
Conley T. C. eq. 5½s '28-'29	99	101
Continental Motors 6½s '30	100½	102
Crescent I. W. & C. 6½s '35	101½	103
Doubleday-Hill Elec. 6½s '41	99½	100½
Follansbee Bros. 5s '47	92¼	93
Frick (H. C.) Coke 5s '28-'31	100	....
Do. 5s '32-'44	101½	....
Fry (H. C.) Glass 6s '32	80	82
Glidden Co. 6s '28-'40	99½	100½
Hanna (M. A.) 6s '34	96½	97½
Illinois-Ky. Bridge 6½s '47	99	101
Do. 7s (with warrants) 7s '42	99½	103
Jones & Laughlin Steel 5s '39	104½	....
Kaufmann's D. S. sec. 6s '35	101½	102½
Do. 6s (ex-warrants) '35	98	99½
LaBelle Iron Works 6s '40	101½	103
Laclede Gas & Elec. 7s '34	103½	105½
Mackintosh-Hemphill 6s '40	82	85
McClintic-Marshall 5½s '32-'37	102½	102¾
*McKeesport Tin Plate 6s '46	103	103¾
*Mt. Washington St. Ry. 5s '33	94	96
National-Union mtge. 6s '31-'46	99	100
National Fireproofing 5½s '47	96	98½
Ohio Valley Clay 6½s '41	98½	100½
Oil Well Supply Inv. 5½s '32	97½	99
Penn Federal 6s (w. w.) '46	105	....
Penna. State Water 5½s '52	95	97½
Pgh. Crucible Steel 5s '28-'31	100	101
Do. 5s '32-'45	101	....
Pgh. Parking Garages 6s '45	97	99
*Pgh. Railways gen. 5s '33	91½	95½
Pgh. Steel Foundry 6s '30	102½	103
Pgh. Transit equip. 6s '28-'29	100	100½
Pgh. Valve Fdy. & Con. 6s '42	100	100½
Pgh.-Westm'land Coal 5s '47	90½	92
Porter (H. K.) 6s '36	100	101¼
Rail & River Coal 5s '38	96½	99
South Pittsburgh Water 5s '55	98½	....
Do. 5s '60	100	....
Southern Traction 5s '50	65	72
Standard Plate Glass 6s '39	76	81
Standard Pow. & Lt. 6s '57	98½	100½
Standard Textile Prod. 6½s '42	83	85
Steubenville Pottery 6½s '43	100	101½
St. Clair Furnace 5s '28-'31	100	....
Do. 5s '32-'39	101½	....
Superior Steel 6s '38	98	99½
Union Steel 5s '52	103½	....
Ward Baking 6s '37	104½	105⅛
W. Va.-O. Riv. Bdge. 6½s '42	99	101
Weirton Steel 6s '39	102	102½
Wheeling Steel & I. 6s '28-'29	101	....
Wheeling Traction 5s '31	92	95
Whitaker Glessner 6s '41	104½	105
Witherow Steel 6s '32	98½	101
Yellow Cab equip. 6s '27-'29	100	....
Yough. & Ohio Coal 6s '32	100½	....

*Guaranteed by Philadelphia Co. †Called for payment March 1, 1928, at 103.

SALES.

	Shares.		Price.
Devon Oil & Land	1000	at	3
Do	100	at	3
Do (Sale)	200	at	3
Aluminum Manufactures	325	at	27½
McKeesport Tin Plate	200	at	62
Omar Oil	1000	at	.50

STANLEY TO BECOME PARTNER OF MORGAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Harold Stanley, president of the Guaranty Company of New York, will be admitted to partnership in the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York, it was learned today. This is the first change in the personnel of the firm since the resignation of Dwight W. Morrow on his selection as American ambassador to Mexico.

NORMAL TWIN CHICKS HATCHED FROM ONE EGG

TOPEKA—Twin chicks, from one Rhode Island Red egg, have been hatched by a hatchery in Parsons, Kas. The twins, apparently normal and as lively as the rest, were hatched from an egg brought in by M. A. Williams, of Altamount, Kas.

Gold Nuggets in Turkey Start Miners' Rush

RED LODGE, Mont., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Discovery of gold nuggets in a turkey prepared for Christmas dinner by Mrs. A. Pollard, has started prospectors on a search for the mother lode.

Eight nuggets, weighing 30 grams and valued at about $3, were found in the turkey. The fowl was raised on the Paul W. Cartright ranch, two miles from Red Lodge. It was one of the few birds sold here by Mr. Cartright. About 35 birds were shipped to Maine.

Red Lodge is in the district where placer miners obtained millions of dollars worth of dust in pioneer Western days.

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HOLIDAY WEEK OPENS QUIETLY IN LOCAL MARKET

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Following is the official list of transactions on the New York Curb Exchange, giving all stocks and bonds traded (00 omitted in sales column in bond list):

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Allison Drug B	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]				
400	Servel Del	.40	.40	.40
50	Shaeffer Pen	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	Shattuck Dens	10¼	10¼	10¼
50	Smith A O new	161	161	161
1300	Southeast P & Lt	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝
100	South Penn Oil	39	39	39
100	Stand G&E pre pf	111¼	111½	111¼
1200	Stand Oil Indiana	78⅝	78½	78⅝
25	Stern Bros A	60½	60½	60½
100	Stutz M C Am	18	18	18
100	Swift Int	25¼	25¼	25¼
400	Tidal Osage n v	18¾	18¾	18¾
1600	Tonopah Mining	2	2	2
200	Trans L D P	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
2	Tietz war	250	250	250
100	Trico Prod	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
30	Tubize Art S B ctf	465	465	465
100	Union Nat Gas Can	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
200	United Biscuit A	68	67½	68
700	Un Bak new	29⅝	28⅝	29
1600	United Biscuit B	24	20⅝	21
600	Un Elec Coal ctf	34¼	33	33
400	Unit Gas Imp	114⅝	114	114
1300	U S Freight new	77½	76½	77
300	United Verde Ext	26¼	26	26
400	Utah Apex Mining	5½	5½	5½
900	Util Sharpes Option	1⅝	1⅛	1⅛
600	Vacuum Oil	141	139½	141
100	Venez Mex	20½	20½	20½
2900	Warner Bros Pic	14¾	13	14
100	Watson J W Co	20½	20½	20½
200	Wenden Cop Min	1	1	1
200	Wes O & S ctfs	71½	71	71
100	White S M deb rts	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
200	Wilcox O G	22½	22½	22½
8	Woodworth	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝

DOMESTIC BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1	All Pack 8s '39	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝
2	Alum Corp 5s '52	101¼	101¼	101¼
7	Am G & E 6s B 2014	108¼	108¼	108¼
63	Am Nat Gas 6½s 2014	99	98½	98½
1	Am P & L 6s 2016	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
5	Am Seat 6s '36	103	103	103
4	Am Thread 6s '28	101¼	101¼	101¼
5	Ark P & L 5s '56	98⅜	98½	98½
8	Ala Pow 4½s	95	95	95
21	As El 5½s	102⅞	102¼	102½
3	Bost & Me 6s '33	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
15	Do A C 5s '67	98¼	98	98
5	Bost Cons Gas 5s '47	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
17	C M & St P 5s '75	95½	95⅛	95½
64	Do adj 5s 2000	64⅝	64	64
2	Chic Ry ctfs 5s '27	86	86	86
9	Cities Serv 5s '66	91⅝	90⅝	90⅝
4	Do Gas 5½s '42	95⅝	95¼	95¼
4	Do Pow 5½s '57	98	97½	97½
5	Columbus Ry 4½s '57	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞
2	Com Laralbee 6s '41	92½	92½	92½
3	Cudahy Pack 5½s '37	97½	97½	97½
10	Cent Oil 5½s	99	99	99
10	Det Int Bridge 6½s '52	101⅝	101¼	101¼
8	Dixie Gulf Gas 6½s '37	99½	99½	99½
2	Empire O & R 5½s '42	93⅝	93¼	93¼
18	Fair Morse 5s '42	97½	97½	97½
3	Firestone Tire 5s '42	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
3	Fisk Rub 5½s '31	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
1	Fla Pow & Lt 5s '54	97½	97½	97½
1	Gair Robt 5½s '42	97¼	97¼	97¼
5	Gen Am Inv 5s '52	128⅝	128⅝	128⅝
2	Georgia & Fla 6s '46	96	96	96
4	Georgia Pow 5s '67	99½	99½	99½
1	Gulf Oil 5s '47	101½	101½	101½
3	Gulf Oil 5s '37	101½	101½	101½
5	Int Sec Corp 5s '47	95½	95½	95½

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10	Int Match 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Interstate Pow 6s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	Intern Pow Sec 7s '57	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	Int Sec Corp 5s wi	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
25	Iowa-Neb L&P 5s '57	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Koppers Gas & E 5s '47	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Lehigh P S 6s A 2026	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Libby McN & L 5s '42	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	Lone Star Gas 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Mass Gas 5½s '46	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	Mil Gas & El 4½s '67	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	Montreal L & P 5s '51	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	Morris & Co 7½s '30	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Nebraska Pow 6s 2022	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	N Y Pow & Lt 4½s '67	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
36	Nor St Pow cvt 6½s '33	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
16	N Y N H & H 4½s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Pac Gas & El 4½s '57	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7	Purity Bak 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10	Penn Oh Ed 6s '50 ww	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
22	Phila Elec 5½s '72	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	Phillips Pet 5¼s '39	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	Pow Corp N Y 5½s '47	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	Richfield Oil 6s '41	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Schulte R E 6s '35 ww	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
15	Servel Corp 5s '48	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	Shawg W & P 4½s '67	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8	Shell Pipe Line 5s '52	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	Snider Pack 6s '32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
47	Solvay Am 5s '42	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	SEP&L 6s 2025 ww	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Stand Oil N Y 4½s '51	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Stand Pow & Lt 6s '57	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2	Swift Co 5s '32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]				

FOREIGN BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
[illegible]				
17	Prussia F S 6s '52	91½	91	91¼
5	Rio Grande 7s '66	97¼	97¼	97¼
1	Santa Fe Arg 7s '45	92½	92½	92½
5	Serb Cit & Slov 7s '62	85½	85½	85½
1	Swiss Confed 5½s '29	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
7	Tiets Leon 7½s '46	120	120	120
9	Tiets Leon 7½s '46 ww	103¼	103¼	103¼
15	Tyrol Hyd Elec 7s '52	93⅝	93	93
65	Unit El Serv 7s '56	101	100⅝	101
5	Unit El Serv 7s '56 ww	93½	93½	93½
1	Un Stl Wks 6½s '47 A	90½	90½	90½
6	Vienna City 6s	90½	90½	90½

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

Union Stock Yards, Herrs Island

Brinkman, Wool & Beck, livestock commission merchants, furnish the following quotations:

Cattle—Receipts, 15 car loads against 40 car loads last week; market ruled stronger on choice grades; others steady. Good to choice, $13.50@14.00; good, 1,300 to 1,400 pounds, $12.75@13.25; medium, 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, $11.75@12.25; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 pounds, $12.75@13.65; fair, 900 to 1,100 pounds, $9.25@11.25; common, 700 to 900 pounds, $7.00@8.00; common to good fat bulls, $5.00@9.00; common to good fat cows, $3.00@8.50; heifers, 700 to 1,100 pounds, $7.00@11.50; fresh cows and springers, $30.00@125.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 22 double deck loads; market ruled higher. Prime heavy hogs, $9.25@9.35; heavy mixed, $9.25@9.35; mediums, $9.25@9.35; heavy yorkers, $9.25@9.35; light yorkers, $8.50@8.75; pigs, $8.00@8.50; roughs, $7.00@7.65; stags, $5.00@5.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5 double deck loads; market ruled stronger on all grades of sheep and lambs. Prime wethers, $7.50@8.00; good mixed, $6.75@7.25; fair mixed, $5.00@6.00; culls and common, $1.50@4.00; culls to choice lambs, $11.00@14.00.

Calves—Receipts 300 head; market steady. Veal calves, $16.00@16.50; heavy and thin calves, $5.00@14.00.

Chicago

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000 head; hogs, 200 pounds up, steady at Friday's best time; lighter weights active on broad shipping demand, 10@15c higher; spots up more; big packers inactive; top, $8.85; bulk good and choice 210 to 290-pound averages, $8.45@8.80; 160 to 200 pounds, $8.25@8.55; 130 to 150 pounds, $7.60@8.25; most pigs $7.50@7.75; selected lots upward to $8.00; bulk packing $7.40@7.75.

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000 head; fed steers steady to strong; weighty kinds suitable to ships, 10@15c higher; supply weighty offerings very scarce; she stock strong; bulls 15@25c higher; vealers 50c higher; stockers and feeders scarce, firm; best fed steers early, $16.75; some held higher; shippers fairly active at $13.00 upward; going slow on common to medium light steers and yearlings; most low cutters around $7.35; strong weight up to $8.00 and better; vealers to packers, $11.00@12.00; few $12.50; shippers and small killers, $13.00@15.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000 head; demand for choice light and handy weight lambs broad; supply larger than late last week; opening sales good and choice medium weights strong, $13.00@13.50, asking 15@25c higher; above $13.25 for handy weight; sheep strong; fat ewes, $6.00@6.75 mostly; feeding lambs firm; bulk $12.00@12.75; top, $13.25.

East Buffalo

Hogs—Receipts, 9,500 head; holdovers, 200 head; market 25 to 35c higher; pigs up more; bulk, 160 to 240 pounds, $9.60; few 250 pounds up $9.65@9.75; pigs and light lights, $9.00@9.50; packing sows, $7.50@8.00.

Cattle — Receipts, 650 head; market steady; few yearlings, $13.50; bulk medium steers, $10.00@11.50; medium heifers, $8.50@9.75; few good kinds, $10.25@10.90; common to medium cows, $6.00@8.00; bulls, $8.50@9.50.

Calves — Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; top vealers, $17.00; cull and common, $9.00@12.50.

Sheep — Receipts, 7,500 head; market strong to 25c higher; fat lambs, $14.00 to mostly $14.25; cull and common, $11.00@12.00; few yearlings, $11.85; fat ewes, $6.50@7.50.

Cincinnati

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000 head; holdovers, 203 head; market around 10c lower on butchers averaging 90 pounds up; bulk early sales, $9.15; little done on lighter weights and packing sows.

Cattle—Receipts 1,000 head; most classes steady to strong; bulls steady to 25c higher; little done on steers; bulk heifers, $8.00@11.00; beef cows, $8.50 down; all cutters, $4.75@5.75; best bulls, $8.50.

Calves—Receipts, 300 head; top veals, $14.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 100 head; market steady; best handyweight lambs, $14.00; heavies around $11.00 down; ewes, $6.00 down.

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES

(Reported by Kay, Richards & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Anglo-American Oil non vot.	18⅝	19
Do voting	19	19¼
Borne-Scrymser	57	59
Buckeye Pipe Line	57	57½
Chesebrough Mfg.	118	120
Continental Oil	19	19¼
Cumberland Pipe Line	89	92
Eureka Pipe Line	60	60½
Galena Signal Oil	4¼	4½
Do preferred (old)	37	40
Do preferred (new)	28	30
Humble Oil	67⅝	67⅞
Illinois Pipe Line	177	179
Indiana Pipe Line	77	78
International Petrol.	36⅝	37
Imperial Oil Ltd	59	60
National Transit	20⅝	20¾
New York Transit	38	40
Northern Pipe Line	91½	92½
Ohio Oil	63¼	63½
Prairie Oil & Gas	49⅞	50
Prairie Pipe Line	186	187½
Penn Mex	35½	36½
Solar Refining	176	179
Southern Pipe Line	21	21½
South Penn Oil	37⅞	38
South West Penn P. L.	72	76
Standard Oil Indiana	78⅝	78¾
Standard Oil Kansas	15	15½
Standard Oil Kentucky	122	123
Standard Oil Nebraska	41	42
Standard Oil Ohio	78½	79
Do preferred	120	120¼
Swan & Finch	17½	18
Vacuum Oil	141⅛	141¾

RAISE FUNDS FOR SILK MILL IN MANN'S CHOICE

BEDFORD, Pa., Dec. 27.—Residents of Mann's Choice have raised the necessary amount for erection of a factory building of the Phillips-Jones Corporation, manufacturers of finished silk and products for men. One hundred and twenty-five girls will be employed.

THE PRODUCE MARKET

Trading at the local wholesale produce district for all lines of fruit and vegetables was rather dull today. The prices of vegetables were about unchanged. The fruit market was slow. Cranberries were somewhat lower, while the prices of apples and pineapples were higher.

The 1 cent decrease in butter went into effect today. The market was firm. Cheese and eggs also were firm. No change was made in the quotations on these markets.

The demand for poultry was fair and the supplies were moderate. The quotations were unchanged.

Carlot supplies were moderate, a total of 552 cars being on track. Arrivals included 15 cars of apples, 11 cabbage, 4 cauliflower, 20 celery, 2 grapefruit, 6 grapes, 1 lemons, 5 onions, 13 oranges, 1 pears, 6 spinach, 20 potatoes, 12 sweet potatoes, 5 pears and 3 tomatoes.

HAY AND GRAIN.
Receipts.

Pennsylvania Railroad—Two cars of hay, 2 shelled corn and 9 oats. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad—Two cars of hay and 4 oats.

WHOLESALE PRICES TO RETAILERS.

HAY.

Standard timothy	$16.00@17.00
No. 1 timothy	$15.50@16.00
No. 2 timothy	$14.50@15.50
No. 1 light clover mixed	$16.00@17.00
No. 1 clover mixed	$16.00@16.50
No. 1 clover	$15.50@16.00

STRAW.

Oat	$12.50@13.00
Wheat	$13.00@13.50

YELLOW CORN.

No. 2 shelled	$1.01@1.02
No. 3 shelled	$1.00@1.01

OATS.

No. 2 white	62½@63c
No. 3 white	61½@62c

PRODUCE.

Asparagus, California, crate	$8.00@12.00
Beans, hamper	$2.00@2.50
Carrots, chip	40@50c
Celery, crate	$2.50@5.00
Cucumbers, hothouse, dozen	50c@1.25
Do hamper	$4.50@5.50
Lettuce, Iceberg, crate	$3.00@4.00
Do Ohio leaf, 10-lb baskets	$1.15@1.25
Do New York, crate	50@75c
Cauliflower, California	$2.50@2.75
Mushrooms, basket	50c@1.25
Do Ashtabula, pound boxes	40@65c
Onions, sack	$2.00@2.25
Parsley, New Orleans, barrel	$11.00
Peas, crate	$4.75@6.00
Peppers, Florida, crate	$2.50@3.00
Potatoes—	
Jersey sweets, hamper	$2.00@2.50
W. Va., N. J., new sack	$1.00@1.50
Radishes, basket	$1.25@1.50
Spinach, bushel	50c@1.50
Tomatoes, hothouse, basket	$2.25@2.75
Do Cal., repacked, six-basket carrier	$5.00@5.50
Do lugs	$2.75@4.00
Turnips, Ohio, bushel	$1.50
Cabbage, N. Y. state, small, bbl.	$1.00@1.25
Home-grown, bushel	50@75c

PROVISIONS.

Hams—
18 to 20 lbs 21c
16 to 18 lbs 21c
14 to 16 lbs 21c
12 to 14 lbs 21c
10 to 12 lbs 22c
Skinned hams, 16 to 20 lbs 21c
Rosevale 25c
Do skinned 26c

PORK CUTS.
Loins, 8 to 12 pounds 19½c
Breakfast bacon, 8 to 10 lbs 24c
Clear, 6 to 8 lbs 25c

LARD.
Pure, tierces 16c
Do 1-lb prints 19c

DRY SALT MEATS.
Bellies, 20 to 25 pounds 16c

DRY SALT SMOKED MEATS.
Bellies, 20 to 25 pounds 19c

BEEF CUTS.
Ribs of beef, native 25c
Do medium 24c
Chucks and shoulders, native 20c
Do medium 15c
Long loins, native 35c
Short loins, native 32c
Rounds, native 20c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Cal., box ....$6.00@9.00
Oranges, Cal., box ....$3.50@7.00
Do Fla. ....$3.00@7.50
Grapes, lug ....$1.50@2.50
Grapefruit, box ....$4.00@6.50
Pears, box ....$4.50@5.00
Bananas, bunch ....$4.00@5.00
Apples, domestic, bushels ....$1.50@2.50
Cranberries, ½ bbl ....$10.50@11.00
¼ bbl ....$5.25@5.50
Pineapples, Cuba, box ....$4.00@4.50

POULTRY.

LIVE.
Hens, Leghorns ....18@20c
Do heavy ....24@27c
Roosters, lb ....17@18c
Springers, colored, 1927 ....30@32c
Do Leghorns ....20@22c
Pigeons, pair ....40@45c
Ducks, lb ....28@30c
Geese, lb ....27@28c
Turkeys, lb ....48@50c

HOG DRESSED.
Hens, heavy, pound ....35@37c
Springers ....35@37c
Turkeys, lb ....45@50c
Squabs, Jumbo, dozen ....$10.00@11.00
Do com ....$5.00@7.00

EGGS.
White, fresh selected ....53@54c
Nearby, selected ....50@52c
current receipts ....46@48c
Western fresh ....44@45c
Storage ....27@38c

GROCERIES.

ROASTED COFFEE.
Arioca, lb 33c
Fancy Santos, lb 37c
Golden Rio, lb 34c
Java, lb 33c
Maracaibo, lb 40c
Peaberry, lb 33c
Rice, extra fancy head, 100-lb bag, pound ....7@9c
Do Blue Rose, fancy, lb ....5½@6c
Do choice ....4¾@5½c

BEANS.
Navy, fancy Mich., lb ....6½@7¼c
Marrowfat, white, pound ....9@10c
Red kidney ....10@11c
Cal. lima, lb ....8@8½c

FLOUR.
Spring wheat, barrel $8.75
Winter $7.50
Rye $6.50

PEAS.
Dried green, pound ....5½@6¼c
Yellow split, pound ....7½@7¾c
Green split ....6½@7½c

SUGAR.
Cane, granulated, per cwt $6.80
Do powdered $7.00
Do cubes, cwt $7.55

BUTTER AND CHEESE.
Prints ....55@55½c
Tubs ....51@51½c
Ohio & Pa. ....53@53½c

CHEESE.
N. Y. old full cream ....33@34c
Do new full cream ....30@31c
Longhorns ....32@33c
Import, Swiss ....53@55c
Do Wisconsin ....42@44c
Swiss, old, 20-lb block ....36@37c
Brickstein, 5-lb brick ....31@32c
Limburger ....34@36c

NEW CASTLE TO BOOST TAXES

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Dec. 27.—City Council has authorized the appropriation of $608,453 for the operation of the city next year. It will necessitate a millage of 11¾ as compared with 9¾ mills last year. The increased millage is due to a slump in the triennial tax assessment just completed, and increased expenditures.

APARTMENT HOUSE BUILT FOR FRUIT HARVESTERS

YAKIMA, Wash.—An apartment house with 44 rooms, large recreation equipment, cooking facilities and shower baths is being erected for the accommodation of fruit harvesters on a large orchard tract here. For years it has been the custom of orchardists to provide their help in summer and autumn with small cabins and tents set here and there among the rows of trees. Here the men and often entire families or women workers might live and prepare their own meals. The apartment house idea is favored by many large fruit growers, as it provides central quarters for the help and provides better facilities. Better quarters aid in obtaining good help, is the opinion of one fruit shipper. The help of western orchards is needed from cherry time in June through the summer until apples are packed in October and early November.

MUSIC'S CHARMS AID STUDENT TYPISTS

WESTON, W. Va., Dec. 27.—Music, which hath charm to sooth the savage beast, also conquers a mean typewriter. A phonograph has been installed in the commercial department of Weston High and students are learning their p's and q's to varied tunes. The rythm helps, according to the instructors.

WOMAN BURNED STARTING FIRE WITH KEROSENE DIES

DOVER, O., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Levi Schlabach, 34, Sugar Creek, died last night at Union Hospital of burns suffered when she attempted to start fire with kerosene.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Transactions in the most active bonds on the New York Stock Exchange today were as follows, (00 omitted in sales column (United States bonds in dollars and thirty-seconds of dollars):

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
22	Liberty 3½s '32-47	101.26	101.22	101.26
8	Do 1st 4¼s	103.18	103.13	103.14
56	Liberty 3d 4¼s	100.25	100.20	100.22
59	Do 4th 4¼s	104.00	103.30	103.31
2	Treasury 4s '44-54	110.25	110.25	110.25
10	Do 3¾s '43-47	103.00	102.31	102.31

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
2	Am Ag Chem 7½s	105	104⅞	104⅞
1	Am Chain of deb 6s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Am Smelting 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Am Sugar Refg 6s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Am Tel & Tel 5½s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Am T & T col 5s '46	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
13	Am T & T sf 5s '60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Am T & T col 4s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
21	Anaconda Cop 7s '38	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
19	Anaconda Cop 6s '53	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
54	Andes C M 7s '43	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10	Ang C N C 7s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
28	Armour Del 5½s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	Armour Pcol 4½s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	A T & S F gen 4s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
11	Alaska Gold Mine B	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
20	All Gulf & W I 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]				
65	Hudson Coal 5s A '62	94½	94	94
2	Hud & Man rfg 5s A	101¾	101¾	101¾
20	Hum Oil & Ref 5s '37	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
15	Illinois Bell Tel 5s	105⅝	105¼	105⅜
4	Illinois Cent 4½s	102	102	102
35	ICC&StL&NO 4½s C '63	100	100	100
9	Indiana Steel 5s	105	105	105
4	Inland Steel 5½s '45	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
2	Inspir Corp 6½s	101½	101½	101½
28	Interb R T 7s	99½	98⅞	98⅞
12	Interb R T rfg 5s	78	77¾	78
28	Interb R T rfg 5s sta	77¾	77½	77½
44	Int Agric 5s stp	80¼	80	80
2	Int & G N 1st 6s	107⅜	107⅜	107⅜
1	Int Mer Mar sf 6s	105	105	105
6	Int Paper rfg 5s A	104	104	104
4	Int Paper cvt 5s A	101½	101⅜	101½
8	Int Rys C A 6½s '47	91	91	91
13	Int T & T 4½s '52	96¼	96	96¼
10	Iowa Cent 1st 5s	40½	40¼	40½
1	Jamestown F & C 4s	94½	94½	94½
12	K C Ft S & Mem 4s	96½	96	96½
2	K C Pow & Lt 5s	104¾	104¾	104¾
2	K C Southern 1st 3s	78½	78½	78½
5	K C Term 1st 4s	93½	93½	93½
2	Kan Gas & El 6s	106	106	106
41	Kayser Jul 5½s '47	106¼	106¼	106¼
1	Keith B F 6s A	100¼	100¼	100¼
10	L S & M S gold 4s '31	99½	99½	99½
1	Liggett & Myers 5s	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
62	Liquid Carbonic 6s	125	121	125
12	Loew's Inc 6s ww '41	108¾	108	108
1	Loew's Inc 6s ex-war	99½	99	99
1	Lorillard Co 7s	116½	116½	116½
26	Lorillard Co 5½s '37	97	96⅝	97
	Louis & N rfg 5½s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Lou Gas & El 5s	104½	104½	104½
1	Market St Ry 7s	99	99	99
1	McCrory Sto 5½s '41	101	101	101
2	Midvale Stl cvt 5s	101½	101½	101½
11	M & St L 1st rfg 4s	15¼	15	15
13	M S P&S S M 6½s	102½	102¼	102½
2	M S P&S S M 5½s	94½	94½	94½
2	M S P&S S M gtd 5s	100¼	100	100¼
11	M S P&S S M 1st cn 4s	91½	91½	91½
1	M K & Tex pl 5s C	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
6	M K & T new pl 5s A	104¼	104¼	104¼
32	M K & T adj 5s A	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
72	Mo Pac 5s F '77	102	102	102
6	Mo Pac gen 4s	82½	82¼	82½
	M & S Y rfg & ext 5s	11½	11½	11½
39	Mobile & Birm 4s	92½	92½	92½
4	Montana Cen R R 6s	113	113	113
39	Mont Pac 5s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
7	Morris & Co 1st 4½s	86½	86½	86½
1	Morris & Essex 3½s	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
1	Murray Body 6½s	93½	93½	93½
1	Namm & Son 6s ctf '43	108	108	108
12	Nassau El con 4s stp	56	55½	55½
3	Nat Dairy Prod 6s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
1	N E T & T 5s	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
5	N E T & T gen 4½s B	101⅜	101⅜	101⅜
1	NOPS 5s ctf '52 A	99½	99½	99½
10	NOPS 5s '55 B	99½	99¼	99½
9	N O T & M 5½s	105½	105½	105½
4	NYC &HR rf imp 5s	110½	110¼	110¼
4	NYC&HR rf&imp 4½s	103¼	103	103
3	NYC & HR con 4s	97½	97½	97½
1	NYC & HR rfg 3½s	86½	86½	86½
1	N Y C & St L 6s	103¾	103¾	103¾
3	NYC & StL 5½s A	107½	106½	106½
9	N Y Conn Rys 4½s	101½	101½	101½
1	N Y Ed rfg 6½s	116½	115¾	116½
1	NYGELH&P col 5s	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
2	NYGELP pm 4s	97½	97½	97½
4	NYNH&H cvt 6s '48	115⅞	115⅝	115⅞
1	NYNH&H nod 4s '47	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
5	NYNH&H deb 4s '57	81	80⅝	81
1	N Y O & W gen 4s	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
6	N Y Rys 6s A	76	75	75
8	N Y State Rys 4½s	50¼	49⅝	50
1	N Y Steam 6s	108⅜	108⅜	108⅜
1	N Y Tel rfg 6s '41	108⅞	108⅞	108⅞
5	N Y Trap Rock 6s '46	101	101	101
2	N Y W & B 4½s	60½	60½	60½
2	N L & O P 5s A	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
2	Norf & West con 4s	95	95	95
8	N&W 4s P C & C dv	96½	96½	96½
5	Nor Am Cem 6½s '40	80	80	80
12	Nor Am Ed 5s '37	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
1	N Ohio T & L 6s A	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
4	Nor Pac 6s B	116⅝	116	116
1	Nor Pac rf&im 5s D	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝
1	Nor Pac gen 3s	72	72	72
3	Nor States Pow 6s B	106¼	106¼	106¼
1	Nor States Pow 5s A	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
4	Old B Coal Corp 6s	92	91¾	92
1	Ore Wash RR&N 4s	93½	93½	93½
6	Otis Steel 6s	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
1	Pac Gas & El 5s	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
2	Pac T & T 5s '37	104	104	104
14	Pan-Am P&T 6s '34	103	102¾	102¾
2	Paramt Bway 5½s	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
4	Park Lex 6½s	89½	89½	89½
4	Pathe Exch 7s '37 war	80	80	80
4	Penn Dix 6s A '41	98½	98	98
5	Penn O & Det 4½s '77	101¼	101¼	101¼
12	Penn R R 7s '30	105⅞	105⅞	105⅞
4	Penn R R 5s '64	105⅜	105⅛	105⅜
6	Penn R R gen 4½s	104⅝	104½	104⅝
1	Penn R R 4s '31	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1	Penn R R 4s '48	99½	99½	99½
6	Peo G&C of Chi 6s	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
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FOREIGN ISSUES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
[illegible]				
12	Buen Aires 7s '57	98½	98½	98½
7	Canada 5s '52	108⅜	108⅜	108⅜
12	Canada 4½s '36	101	101	101
1	Carlsbad 8s '54	108½	108½	108½
4	Chile M Ur 6½s '57	95⅞	95⅞	95⅞
3	Chile 8s '41	109	109	109
4	Chile 7s '42	101	100⅞	100⅞
10	Chile 6s '61	91⅝	91½	91⅝
11	Chile 6s '60	91⅝	91½	91⅝
10	Colombia 6s '61	91⅝	91½	91⅝
2	Copenhagen 5½s '44	100½	100½	100½
1	Cordoba Prov 7s '42	99½	99½	99½
5	Costa Rica 7s '51	95	94⅞	94⅞
11	Copenhagen 5s '52	96	95⅞	96
4	Denmark 6s '42	103½	103½	103½
[illegible]				
1	Haiti 6s '52	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Heidelberg 7½s '50	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Hungary 7½s '44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Hung Munic 7s '45	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
9	Hung Munic 7s '46	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
14	Ilseder Steel 7s '46	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	It Cr Cons 7s '47 B	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
20	Italy Pub Util 7s	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
26	Ger C Ag Bk 6s '60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
14	Italy 7s '51	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Japan 6½s '54	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Jap Ster Loan 4s '31	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7	L Aust Prov 7½s '50	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7	L Aus H E Po 6½s '44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
14	Lyons 6s '34	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10	Marseilles 6s '34	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
12	Mex 0s gld 4s asnt '54	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

AMERICAN STILL HELD CAPTIVE BY MEXICANS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Lyman F. Barber of Los Angeles, American mining engineer, who was kidnaped by Mexican bandits two weeks ago, is still held a prisoner, but the American embassy believes that his release will soon be effected.

Acting upon representations of the American embassy, the Mexican government has sent troops to pursue the bandits.

The embassy's information is that Barber was kidnaped near the town of Zacualpan, which is on the border of the states of Guerrero and Mexico. He was taken off to the mountains by the bandits, who at first demanded ransom of 1,000 pesos (about $500). This was raised by Barber's friends, but the kidnapers then increased their demand to 5,000 pesos. Again friends of the kidnaped man raised the amount, whereupon the bandits increased their demand to 15,000.

The embassy is informed that the Mexican government is making energetic efforts to secure Barber's release.

Marriage Licenses

John Younk	Verona
Catherine Bazin	Creighton
Mikala Bjegovich	Duquesne
Anna Mestrovich	Duquesne
John L. Morrison	Gibsonia
Evelyn Welling	Gibsonia
Antonio Vogini	Monongahela
Catherine Corbelli	Monongahela
Carl H. Nelson	Millvale
Flora E. Ernberger	Millvale
John Vrcbek	McKees Rocks
Rose Kvaternik	McKees Rocks
Anton Berdnik	Bridgeville
Anna Pratter	Bridgeville
John Dzamowsky	Pittsburgh
Christy Frylenicka	Pittsburgh
John Terkus	McKeesport
Mary Hajduk	Pittsburgh
Carroll J. Tuteur	Wilkinsburg
Mary Goldberg	Irwin
C. William G. Schaefer	Pittsburgh
Gwendolyn C. Tilley	Pittsburgh
Henry Landren	Pittsburgh
Ellen Douglas	Pittsburgh

PAPAL AIDE'S BROTHER DIES

ROME, Dec. 27.—Oragio Gasparri, 82, brother of the papal secretary of state, died in the hospital yesterday. Gasparri lived with his brother at the Vatican. The Pope sent condolences to the family.

FEAR OF BLINDNESS CAUSES SUICIDE

READING, Pa., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Threatened with blindness, Albert R. Boeshore, 30, of Tuckerton, a single man, employed at a railroad round house, ended his life by shooting himself. He had twice threatened suicide. He lingered five hours in a hospital before death came late last night.

ONLY 3 DIE IN CHICAGO FROM HOLIDAY DRINKING

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—John Barleycorn didn't do so well in Chicago during the holidays. The deaths attributed to him are given as only three, considerably below normal. Fourteen of his victims are recovering in hospitals and 150 are being held in jail to tell it to the judge.

"Get That 1928 License," Warning

Motorists who attempt to operate their machines with 1927 license plates after January 1 will be arrested. Police Superintendent Peter P. Walsh today issued orders to every patrolman to "knock off" all automobilists using 1927 plates after the first of the year. A charge of violating the automobile laws will be placed against those caught.

"Owners of machines have had plenty of time to secure new plates," the superintendent said. "If, through carelessness, they have failed, they will have to suffer." A maximum fine of $10 can be placed against the motorists.

Carnegie Displays Upward Trend

The final week of the year opened quietly on the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange today with no material price changes noted in the active issues. The double holiday suspension of business and the absence of news bearing on the stocks accounted for the quiet market this morning, but traders look for an increase in volume as the current week draws to a close.

Passing of the dividends on the preferred stocks of the American Window Glass Machine Company and the National Fireproofing Company was disclosed to have been discounted by the action of the stocks in the late market last week and today's early figures were only moderately changed from Saturday's. Fireproofing preferred was down fractionally, while Machine preferred sold off a little after opening slightly above the previous close.

Carnegie Metals resumed its upward trend today, but the movement did not attain the speed noted on several occasions during the previous advance. The reaction which followed its former spurt to around 19 carried the price off about 3 points, but the decline was not accompanied by heavy selling. Such offerings as did come out after the stock reached 18 was for the most part trading stock purchased for "a turn."

DROWNS TRYING FOR $2 WAGER

FAIRMONT, Dec. 27.—(AP.)—A $2 bet that he could swim the Monongahela River on Christmas day was lost and Pete Scivia of Masontown drowned in the icy water at Mine No. 93, near Murray. Ice was floating in the river when Scivia attempted to swim across. His body was not recovered.

Authorities said they learned that he and another man, whose name was not learned here, had made the bet while they were intoxicated. County Coroner Fred L. Jenkins said he would make an investigation later.

HUNGER STRIKE ENDS IN DEATH

By Universal Service.

SALISBURY, Md., Dec. 27.—Three weeks' hunger strike ended in death for William M. Cooper here yesterday.

Cooper began his strike the day he was indicted on charges of embezzling $29,000 from a building and loan association which he founded.

INJURED BY AUTO, ASKS $40,000 DAMAGES

Anna B. Gaunt, 735 North Highland avenue, a teacher in the Dilworth Public School, entered suit in Common Pleas Court against F. B. Patterson, asking $40,000 damages for injuries received December 21, 1926. The plaintiff alleges that on the above date, as she was leaving her home for her work an automobile driven by the defendant collided with a truck owned by a bakery company, causing the truck to run on the sidewalk and pin the plaintiff against the terrace of her home. She complains that by reason of her injuries she was unable to teach school for six months.

QUEBEC SEEKING CHURCH BURNER

QUEBEC, Dec. 27.—The third disastrous fire to visit Roman Catholic institutions within two weeks today led to the official opinion that a pyromaniac is at large in the city.

Following the tragic Hospice St. Charles blaze, with its 50 dead, and the St. John's Academy fire, the Maizerets Seminary in the suburbs of Quebec was destroyed yesterday.

The Maizerets Seminary dated back to 1776 and was one of Quebec's most picturesque landmarks.

Authorities also made known today that an attempt was made to fire the Hotel Dieu Hospital, another Catholic institution, but the "plant" was discovered before damage had been inflicted.

SLED ACCIDENTS HURT TWO

FRANKLIN, PA., Dec. 27.—Two are in the Franklin Hospital, Frank Gould, 73, of Greenville, and Isabel Crisman, 6, of Prospect Park, Franklin, the result of injuries suffered in Christmas coasting accidents. Gould was hit by coasters on Uniontown Hill late Sunday night. He is in a serious condition. The Crisman girl, coasting near her home, overturned on her sled, breaking a leg. They are the season's first coasting accidents here.

Miners' Christmas Carols Ring Out In Deep Pit

LANSFORD, Pa., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Christmas was celebrated 800 feet underground at the Rahn colliery of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company when employes gathered around a Christmas tree brilliantly illuminated with electric lights and trimmed with souvenirs of anthracite coal.

Carols were rendered, and a program suitable to the festival season was carried out. This is the first instance on record where mine employes, engaged in necessary work on a Christmas day, gave spirit to the occasion underground by the enjoyment of a program around a decorated Christmas tree.

BOY HUNTER KILLED WHEN HE STUMBLES, PAL SHOT

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—Louis Loyacano, 19, a high school boy, was killed and his companion, Ferdinand Huber, 16, seriously wounded while hunting this afternoon. Climbing a canal embankment carrying a shotgun Huber stumbled and the gun was discharged.

FOR JANUARY INVESTMENTS

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THREE BANDITS HOLD UP "GAS" STATION

Three bandits traveling in an automobile, last night held up two attendants at the Donahue service station, Penn avenue and Roup street, and after looting the cash register, escaped with $80. The holdup occurred while Penn avenue was filled with automobiles and while scores of persons were walking nearby.

Surprised while at work looting the grocery store of Louis Liblis, 847 West North avenue, North Side, three robbers escaped from the store late last night. The robbers escaped just a few minutes before police arrived. A. Cramer, a watchman at the city stables, across the street, saw the men at work in the store and he called police. The robbers apparently were aware that they had been seen.

LET P. R. R. QUIT BRANCH LINE

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Abandonment by the Pennsylvania Railroad of 18.26 miles of its 20-mile branch between Stover, Huntingdon county, and Fairbrook, Centre county, is provided in an order of the Public Service Commission today. The company plans to continue operations on the section between Tyrone and Stover.

In seeking this authority the company claimed that in the past four years it sustained an operating loss of $182,328 on this branch.

The Bellefonte Central Railway Company intervened in the application and sought permission to purchase the branch, claiming that as a short line carrier it could operate the branch at a lower cost than the Pennsylvania.

The order called attention to an order of the Interstate Commerce Commission approving the application and requiring sale of the abandoned portion to any person desiring to purchase it for continued operation.

MONESSEN CITY BLDG. TO OPEN

MONESSEN, Pa., Dec. 27.—Monessen's new city hall will be dedicated Thursday at 1 p. m., with officials of Westmoreland county and adjoining counties in attendance.

The building, a three-story brick costing $175,000, will be presented by John G. Check, superintendent of parks and public property, and will be accepted by Mayor Carl Woodward. A parade will precede the dedication.

The dedicatory address will be by Attorney Robert W. Smith, of Greensburg. Mayor Charles H. Kline, of Pittsburgh, Mayor George H. Lysle, of McKeesport, and County Commissioner E. V. Babcock, of Pittsburgh, are among the invited officials.

$15,000 FIRE IN GLENVILLE

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 27.—(AP.)—Fire early today destroyed a section of a Glenville, Gilmer county business block, causing a loss of from $12,000 to $15,000. The blaze, of undetermined origin, burned the postoffice and the Pathfinder, weekly newspaper and job printing plant of which J. L. E. Teets is manager and editor. Other structures destroyed included the old Gainer Hotel property and a barber shop and beauty parlor.

WEST VIEW MAN RUN DOWN

Stephen Grundza, 40, of 57 Clair street, West View, is in St. John's Hospital with a possible fracture of the skull, suffered when run down by an automobile in California avenue near Jacks Run bridge this morning. He was taken to the hospital by Charles Warren, 233 Ridge avenue, Ben Avon, driver of the car which struck him.

PITT GAME, PLAY-BY-PLAY TO BE BROADCAST JAN. 2

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A nation-wide hook-up January 2 by the National Broadcasting Company will carry a description of the "Tournament of Roses," including a play-by-play account of the football game at Pasadena, Cal., between Leland-Stanford University and the University of Pittsburgh, according to a statement issued today by M. H. Aylesworth, president of the company.

Graham McNamee will be at the microphone.

DIED

ARNOLD—On Sunday afternoon, December 25, 1927, at 5:20 o'clock, BARBARA ARNOLD (nee Glessner), widow of John Arnold and mother of Miss Ray Arnold, at the family home, 2821 Kenilworth avenue, Brookline, in her 74th year.

Funeral on Wednesday morning, December 28, at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church, Sharpsburg, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of the Rosary and altar societies of St. Mary's Church, L. C. B. A., No. 263 of Sharpsburg, are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Sharpsburg. Take car No. 29 to Fleming stop.

CALAHAN—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 2:59 p. m., MARY CALAHAN (nee Neely), wife of P. A. Calahan, aged 74 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 944 West North avenue, North Side, on Thursday afternoon, December 29, at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CAWL—At the family residence, 1358 Paulson avenue, East End, on Monday, December 26, 1927, at 12:40 a. m., ELECIA O'HARA CAWL, wife of Nicholas A. Cawl.

Funeral and interment at Buffalo, N. Y., on Thursday, December 29.

[Buffalo (N. Y.) papers please copy.]

COYLE—On Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 3:30 a. m., JAMES M. COYLE, husband of the late Anna Tannley Coyle, aged 70 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 2912 Chester street, McKeesport, on Friday, December 30 at 8:30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Pius Chapel, Freemont street, at 9 o'clock. Interment in new St. Joseph's Cemetery.

DAVIDSON—At Gainesville, Fla., on Monday, December 26, 1927, JOHN CHARLES, son of the late John and Elizabeth Dalzell Davidson.

Notice of funeral later.

DEITRICK—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 11:45 p. m., at the Presbyterian Hospital, North Side, IRA G. DEITRICK, Sr.

Funeral services at his late residence, 58 Forest avenue, Ben Avon, on Wednesday afternoon, December 28, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

DOUGLAS—Of diphtheria, on Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 1 a. m., JOHN A. DOUGLAS, beloved son of Peter A. and Mary Douglas (nee Mattice), in his 16th year.

Funeral services and interment private at the family home, 1237 Buena Vista street, North Side, Pittsburgh, on Wednesday morning, December 28, at 10 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

FERGUSON—At his late home, east of Washington, Pennsylvania, on Sunday, December 25, 1927, JAMES HARVEY FERGUSON.

Funeral services from his late residence, Wednesday, December 28, 1927, at 2 p. m.

FLEMING—On Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 3:30 a. m., JAMES A. FLEMING, beloved husband of Mary A. Fleming and father of James A. Fleming, Jr., Mrs. Flora F. Hudson and Ruth N. Fleming.

Funeral from the family home, 5832 Liberty avenue on Friday, December 30, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GANSTER—Suddenly, on Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 10:30 a. m., WILLIAM COFFEY GANSTER, in his 43rd year.

Funeral from his late residence, 59 Briggs street, Overbrook, on Wednesday, December 28, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Norbert's Roman Catholic Church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GISBERT—At South Side Hospital, on Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 6:45 p. m., CHARLES W. GISBERT, husband of Amanda Zearfoss Gisbert, in his 65th year, formerly of 4119 Blair street, Hazelwood. Survived by one son, Vincent Gisbert of Pittsburgh, and two daughters, Mrs. George Rehn of Sandusky, O., and Mrs. E. T. Nelson, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Services at the chapel of Fisher & Owen, 102 Hazelwood avenue, Tuesday evening, December 27, at 8 o'clock. Remains will be shipped to Mt. Pleasant, Pa. Funeral services and interment Wednesday, December 28.

GRAY—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 4:40 p. m., LEONARD A. GRAY, husband of Katherine Winterhalter Gray.

Funeral services at her late home, 321 Seventh avenue, Carnegie, Pa., on Thursday, December 29, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. John's Cemetery.

HAMILTON—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 4:10 p. m., NANCY HENDERSON HAMILTON, wife of Hugh Thompson Hamilton. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Clyde Phillips and Mrs. Percy W. Kring, and two sons, George H. and Archie Hamilton, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the family home, River road, Neville Island (Island Petroleum Co. stop), on Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HARRIS—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 6 a. m., Mrs. ANNA N. HARRIS, beloved wife of Nickles G. Harris.

Funeral from the residence, 5817 Kentucky avenue, Wednesday, December 28, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Chicago (Ill.), Cleveland (O.) and Norfolk (Va.) papers please copy.]

HECKMAN—On Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 5:27 a. m., CARRIE F. CULP, wife of Elmer Heckman, in her 63d year, formerly of North East, Pa.

Funeral from residence of her son, Arthur E. Heckman, 114 Mansion street, Hazelwood, Thursday, December 29, at 12 o'clock noon. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Spring Church Cemetery, Apollo, Pa.

[Erie (Pa.) papers please copy.]

HUG—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 2:55 p. m., ELIZABETH HUG, widow of William Hug, aged 73 years, at her residence, 104 Perry View avenue, North Side.

Solemn requiem high mass at St. Boniface Roman Catholic Church, East street, at Royal, North Side, on Friday, December 30, at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KENNEY—On Saturday, December 24, 1927, at 6:20 p. m., ANNA KENNEY (nee McCabe), wife of the late Peter Kenney and mother of John and Robert Kenney, Mrs. Frank Haas and Mrs. Rose Panner.

Funeral from the family home, 4166 Minerva street, on Wednesday, December 28, at 9:30 a. m. Solemn high mass at St. Mary's Church at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LAFFERTY—At Latrobe, Pennsylvania, on Sunday, December 25, 1927, in his 78th year, JOHN SYLVESTER LAFFERTY, husband of Mary S. Lafferty, and father of Leona M. and Grace E. Lafferty.

Funeral services at his late home, at Latrobe, Pennsylvania, Wednesday, December 28, 1927, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LAVELLE—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 4 p. m., ISABELLE, beloved wife of John F. Lavelle, formerly Johnston (nee Kerr), and mother of Kathleen and Herbert J. Johnston.

Funeral from her late residence, 115 Comstock way, Twentieth Ward, Elliott, on Thursday, December 29, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Martin's Roman Catholic Church, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LEHMAN—At noon, Monday, December 26, 1927, JOSEPH IRWIN LEHMAN, aged 44 years.

Funeral services from the home of his mother, Mrs. J. Lehman, 1509 Murray avenue, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment in West View Cemetery. Family earnestly requests exclusion of flowers.

LEVIN—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 7:15 p. m., at her residence, 149 Grant street, Verona, Pa., ANNIE LEVIN (nee Wilson), wife of Samuel Levin, in her 44th year.

Funeral services Thursday, December 29, at 1 p. m. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, East McKeesport, Pa.

LIPKE—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 4 a. m., MAGDALENA LIPKE (nee Ott), wife of the late Frederick Lipke, in her 87th year.

Funeral from the family residence, Duncan avenue, Hampton township, on Wednesday, December 28, at 9 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Ursula's Roman Catholic Church, Allison Park, at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MACKENZIE—At the family home, 111 Lexington avenue, Aspinwall, on Tuesday, December 20, 1927, at 9:25 a. m., ELLA MAY MACKENZIE, wife of W. Clark MacKenzie.

Funeral services on Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MECHLING—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at midnight, at the Butler county Hospital, LUCY HUNTER MECHLING (nee Wall) aged 59 years. Survived by her husband James G. Mechling, and two sons, Paul S. and J. Clinton Mechling, of Pittsburgh.

Funeral from her late home at Butler, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MEIER—At her residence, 4509 Torley street, on Monday, December 26, 1927, at 5:15 p. m., ANNA MARIE MEIER (nee Dietrich), wife of the late Simon Meier, aged 72 years.

Funeral from the funeral home of W. N. Winter, 4730 Friendship avenue, at Cedarville street. Notice of time later.

MISCHLER—Suddenly, at Glendale, Cal., on Saturday, December 24, 1927, WILLIAM P. MISCHLER, formerly employed with Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Notice of funeral later.

M'CARTNEY—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 5:30 p. m., JOHN M'CARTNEY, husband of Magdalena McCartney.

Funeral services at his late residence, 212 Estella street, Beltzhoover, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Thursday, December 29, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Take cars Nos. 44, 48 and 49 to Estella.

M'CULLA—At St. John's Hospital, on Monday, December 26, 1927, at 11 a. m., JOSEPH M'CULLA, beloved husband of Catherine McCulla (nee Reilhan), aged 51 years.

Funeral from the family home, 793 Eckert street, at Shadeland avenue, on Thursday, December 29, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Francis Xavier's Church, California avenue, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Lodge No. 293, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, are respectfully invited to attend.

McFEELY—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 10:30 a. m., J. HOWARD McFEELY.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1050 Devon road, Wednesday afternoon, December 28, at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

M'KEEVER—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 11:30 p. m., ANDREW M'KEEVER, husband of Blanche Harrison McKeever, aged 62 years.

Funeral services at his late home, 439 Larimer avenue, Turtle Creek, Pa., on Wednesday, December 28, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'LAUGHLIN—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 11:15 p. m., JAMES M'LAUGHLIN, husband of the late Mary Conroy McLaughlin.

Funeral from his late home, 753 Oakwood street, Homewood, Pa., on Thursday, December 29, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Homewood, at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Philip's Cemetery, Crafton, Pa.

M'MILLEN—On Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 12:30 a. m., JAMES N. M'MILLEN, aged 64 years.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, Samuel McMillen, 449 Sherwood avenue, Sheridan, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice of time later.

REES—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 9:30 p. m., WILLIAM J. REES, formerly of No. 7 South Fourteenth street, South Side, husband of the late Susan Rees and father of David J. Rees, in his 75th year.

Funeral services Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the home of Williams & Readshaw, 1905 Carson street, South Side. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Homewood Cemetery.

ROBERTSON—At Oklahoma City, Okla., on Monday, December 26, 1927, at 4:30 a. m., SAMUEL S. ROBERTSON, Esq., in his 71st year.

Friends may view remains at H. Samson's, 237 Neville street, on Wednesday afternoon, December 28. Funeral services at H. Samson's on Thursday, December 29, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SCHLEGEL—On Tuesday, December 27, 1927, at 6 a. m., at her residence 57A East Ridge avenue, Crafton, BERT HEIDENREICH SCHLEGEL, wife of John Schlegel.

Notice of funeral later.

SMITH—On Saturday, December 24, 1927, at 11:30 p. m., SARAH WILSON SMITH, widow of Prof. J. N. Smith, in her 81st year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 3504 Shadeland avenue, North Side, on Tuesday, December 27, at 3 p. m. Interment on Wednesday at Waterford, Erie county, Pennsylvania.

SNYDER—On Monday, December 26, 1927, MARY A. SNYDER, mother of Mrs. J. E. Townsend, at her residence, 217 Alpine avenue, North Side.

Services and interment at Berwick, Pa.

STRAHLEY—At Asheville, N. C., on Saturday morning, December 24, 1927, at 11:47 o'clock, CARL C., husband of Grace Haight Strahley and son of Louis and Emma Born Strahley.

Services at the family home, 1424 Browning road, East End, on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

[Canton (O.) and Philadelphia (Pa.) papers please copy.]

VAUX—On Thursday, December 22, 1927, at 2:45 a. m., Dr. GEORGE HENRY VAUX, son of the late James Edward and Letitia Jones, and husband of the late Mollie E. Early, aged 60 years.

Funeral at family residence, 1204 Liberty avenue, Thursday afternoon, December 29, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WALKER—Suddenly, on Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 10 a. m., PAUL F. WALKER, husband of Margaret Holsren Walker, in his 31st year.

Funeral from the home of his father-in-law, Thomas Holsren, Venice road, McDonald, Pa. Requiem high mass at St. Alphonsus Church, on Wednesday, December 28, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Noblestown, Pa.

[Dennison and Uhrichsville (O.) papers please copy.]

WILLHARM—On Sunday, December 25, 1927, at 10:35 p. m., ROSA HANSELMAN WILLHARM, wife of F. William Willharm, in her 57th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, 129 Gordon street, Edgewood, Pa., on Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Smithfield Cemetery. Take car No. 64.

WIMER (Boyce)—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 10:35 p. m., PEARL M. WIMER (nee Boyce), wife of Edgar B. Wimer, aged 37 years. Mother of Arnold, Horace and Clara Wimer. Sister of Mrs. Rosa L. Knight, James W., Commodore L., Peden T., Miss Florence H. and Miss Maud P. Boyce.

Services Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the family home, No. 24 Soffel street, Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh, via No. 49 to Southern avenue and Soffel street. Funeral services Thursday at 3 p. m. in the Haymond Baptist Church at Grafton, W. Va. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Grafton (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

WOLFE—On Monday, December 26, 1927, at 6:40 p. m., CECELIA G. CONNOLLY WOLFE, wife of Thomas B. Wolfe, in her 39th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 814 Crawford street, Duquesne, Pa., on Thursday, December 29, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at Holy Name Catholic Church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Calvary Cemetery.

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PRICE & TEEPLE mahogany piano, cost new $450, good condition; reduced to $85; terms $12 cash, $5 monthly. Hoffmann's, 537 Wood st.

$175 WILL BUY 88 note player piano, walnut case, like new, cost $650. Smith, 112 East Ohio st., North Side.

$150 STYLE Victrola, slightly used, reduced to $45; big bargain; terms $10 cash, $5 monthly. Hoffmann's, 537 Wood st.

Sale Wearing Apparel 59

UNREDEEMED BARGAIN.
Six fine new ladies' Marmink fur coats that were pledged with me by prominent local furrier and he could not redeem them. Regular value $250.00 each; will sell at $80 piece; sizes 36-48. Finesilver Jewelry Co., Licensed Pawn Broker, 416 Water st., Pittsburgh. Open Xmas Day.

FUR COATS—$50 UP.
Convenient terms may be arranged; sample dresses $10.75 up. Room 301, 339 Fifth ave.

ONE flame velvet dress and georgette evening dress, size 16; cheap. Montrose 9564.

Sale Household Goods 57

WHITE Radiantfire mantel, complete with stainless steel heater; for $98; with plain wooden mantel, ready to stain, $102.50, mahogany $105; easy terms of payment. General Gas Light Co., 927 Liberty ave.

Going to Florida—Sacrifice
Mohair suite, dining room and bedroom suite and other apartment contents; have not been used 3 weeks. Fairfax 8553.

ESTATE HEATROLA, good as new, used as demonstrator; price $75. R. Warne, 927 Liberty ave.

Personals 60

"STOP WORRYING"
Always tell Dr. Gehrs your skin and beauty troubles.
He treats all skin disorders, removes all growths, and disfigurements; 20 years' experience. If you cannot call, send $2 for home treatment, full particulars; also booklet of results, and many unquestionable testimonials.
DR. F. C. GEHRS, SKIN SPECIALIST.
404 Aronson Bldg., 339 Fifth ave. Op. Grand. Hours 10-5 Daily. Mon. and Thurs eves till 9.

C. VIRGINIA GRAFTON, open until 9; scalp treatment, violet ray. 800 Federal st., North Side, Library Place Apartment, No. 4, head of stairs, Diamond street entrance.

Sale Machinery 61

WE repair and rebuild all kinds of electrical equipment. New and used motors and generators carried in stock. Myers Electric Co., 424 Fourth ave. Court 4550.

Radio 66

RENTED, repaired serviced, sold. Atlantic 2156. Radio Sales and Service, Lyceum Bldg.

Loans, Jewelry, Autos 69

6% Yearly Interest
on DIAMONDS JEWELRY WATCHES LISTED STOCKS LISTED BONDS FURS, SILVER
½% per month to 1½% storage. Yearly loans with renewals or monthly repayments. Furs—special rates. Modern Bank-like methods. Ladies especially appreciate our courteous service.
JOS. DeROY & SONS
Diamond Loan Association
(10 Loan Companies Combined)
311 Smithfield St. Opposite Postoffice Entire Building Use Elevators
Original Location ¾ Century

LOANS As Low as 1%
ON DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, STOCKS AND BONDS
We also loan at low rates on SILVERWARE, CAMERAS, GUNS, FURS, TOOLS, TRANSITS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Old Gold, Silver and Platinum Bought.
GALLINGERS, 929 LIBERTY AVE.
Phone ATlantic 5207. Established 1884.

Sale Used Cars, Trucks 72

Need Money?
WE REFINANCE UNPAID BALANCES
WE FINANCE INDIVIDUAL OWNERS WITH CLEAR TITLES
BUT FOR CASH. PAY REPAIR BILLS
AUTOMOBILES
No interference with present use
ROOM 609, NIXON THEATER BLDG.
ATLANTIC 0625

NO DOWN PAYMENT
$10 MONTHLY
PHONES:
Mayflower 6542.
Evenings:
Hazel 0673.
IRON CITY METAL GARAGE,
480 Melwood St., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

1927 FORD touring, excellent condition; looks like new, $150. See Mr. White, 519 Water st. Court 0456.

1926 MODEL Ford Coupe, very good condition, new paint, $150. See Mr. White, 519 Water st. Court 0456.

Auction Sales 81

AUCTION SALE.
We will offer for sale at public auction, for account of whom it may concern, on Wednesday, December 28th, 1927, at 3:15 p. m., at our office, 510 Peoples Bank Building, 307 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.:
315 SHARES THOMAS FURNACE COMPANY OF MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, PREFERRED STOCK.
315 SHARES THOMAS FURNACE COMPANY OF MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, PREFERRED STOCK.
NOTE OF THOMAS FURNACE COMPANY FOR $28,323.34.
NOTE OF THOMAS FURNACE COMPANY FOR $23,323.34.
NOTE OF THOMAS FURNACE COMPANY FOR $116,096.06.
NOTE OF JENIFER IRON COMPANY FOR $40,000.00.
NOTE OF JENIFER IRON COMPANY FOR $27,771.39.
All the above notes are dated September 25th, 1926, and bear interest at the rate of 6% per annum. The interest is defaulted.
J. M. ASKIN & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Loans Up to $300 86

The following companies are licensed by the state banking department and bonded to the state

LOANS
UP TO 300 DOLLARS ON YOUR NOTE
NO FEES
At lawful interest or deductions. PERSONS owning furniture, real estate or with salaried positions accommodated. 24-hour service. Repayment arranged to suit borrower's requirements. A quick, dignified and confidential way to obtain immediate financial assistance. Our methods cheerfully explained. If you cannot call in person, write or telephone and our representative will see you.
Our Business Makes Friends.
INTERSTATE COLLATERAL LOAN CO.,
604 ARROTT BLDG.
COR. FOURTH AND WOOD STS.
TELEPHONE COURT 3256.

QUICK LOANS
Privacy Assured.
SUMS UP TO $300
on household furniture for house cleaning, scattered bills or other obligations. Full consideration given all applications.
GET $10, PAY $1.00 PER MO. Plus Interest.
GET $50, PAY $2.50 PER MO. Plus Interest.
GET $100, PAY $5.00 PER MO. Plus Interest.
GET $300, PAY $15 PER MO. Plus Interest.
Other periods of time if desired. Interest charged only for time money is used. Call, write or phone Atlantic 2880.
ATLAS LOAN SOCIETY
801 ARONSON BLDG., 339 FIFTH AVE.
Across from Grand theater.
Licensed by and Bonded to the State Banking Department.

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U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, Cincinnati, Ohio. Sealed bids in triplicate will be received until 10 a. m. (Eastern Time), January 16, 1928, and then opened for furnishing all labor and materials and constructing and delivering cast steel wicket boxes. Further information on application.

Meeting Notices 75

COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 27, 1927.
THE annual meeting of the stockholders of this company, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Commonwealth Building, 312 Fourth ave., on Tuesday, January 17, 1928, between the hours of 2 and 3 p. m.
W. M. SHERIDAN, Secretary.

Meeting Notices 75

FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT PITTSBURGH.
Northwestern Corner Fifth ave. and Wood st.
December 8, 1927.
ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank at Pittsburgh, for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 o'clock p. m.
C. C. TAYLOR,
Vice President and Cashier.

THE BANK OF PITTSBURGH
National Association.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 8, 1927.
ELECTION—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of shareholders of the Bank of Pittsburgh National Association will be held at the Banking House 226 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 12 o'clock noon, for the election of a board of directors to serve during the ensuing year and the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.
ALEX DUNBAR,
Vice President and Cashier.

NATIONAL BANK OF AMERICA,
709-711 East Ohio Street.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 7, 1927.
ELECTION NOTICE
The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, 709-711 East Ohio street, N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 1 p. m.
GEORGE G. SCHMIDT, Cashier.

THE DIAMOND NATIONAL BANK,
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 9, 1927.
ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year, or any other business that may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 o'clock.
M. L. O'BRIEN, Cashier.

THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors, and the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before it, will be held at the banking house, Henry W. Oliver Building, Smithfield Street, on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 o'clock p. m.

FOURTEENTH STREET BANK,
1401 Carson st., Pittsburgh, Pa.
December 5, 1927.
Election—The annual election for directors of this bank to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking house, Carson and South Fourteenth sts., Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m.
A. J. BENZ, Cashier.

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK,
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 10, 1927.
ELECTION—The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held Tuesday, January 10th, 1928, at the banking house between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p. m.
DURBIN S. KERR, Cashier.

THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Clair Incline Plane Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., for the election of directors, will be held at the office of the company, Salisbury street, Sixteenth Ward, on Wednesday, January 11, 1928, at 8 p. m.
AUGUST SPRUNG, Sec'y-Treas.

Dividend Notices 77

COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 23, 1927.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NO. 100.
The board of directors of this company has declared a quarterly dividend of THREE (3) PER CENTUM on the capital stock, payable January 3, 1928, to stockholders of record December 21, 1927.
Checks will be mailed.
W. M. SHERIDAN, Secretary.

PEOPLES SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 8, 1927.
DIVIDEND—The Board of Directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of four (4) per cent. ($4 per share) on the capital stock, out of earnings, payable January 2nd, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 17, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
J. BOYD McKOWN, Treasurer.

THE KEYSTONE NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH
December 19, 1927.
DIVIDEND—The Board of Directors of this bank has this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of three per centum on the capital stock of this bank, payable January 2, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
GEO. SIEFERT, JR., Cashier.

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 13, 1927.
The Directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of one and one-half per centum (1½%) on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the current quarter, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21, 1927, payable January 3, 1928. Checks will be mailed.
J. H. JONES, Cashier.

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 21, 1927.
THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY.
THE board of directors of this company has today declared the regular quarterly dividend of $3.00 per share on the capital stock of the company, payable January 3, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 28, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
GEORGE A. YOUNG, Treasurer.

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK.
Pittsburgh, Pa.
December 27, 1927.
The directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT (4%) on the capital stock, payable January 3, 1928, to stockholders of record December 31, 1927. Checks will be mailed.
DURBIN S. KERR, Cashier.

Legal Notices 76

A. H. KAUFMAN, Attorney-at-Law,
996 Union Trust Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.
CLERK'S NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY.
No. 13065 in Bankruptcy.
In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania. Theodore Periman, trading as Reliable Garment Company of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court, at Pittsburgh, in said District, on the 27th day of January, 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.
J. WOOD CLARK, Clerk.

A. H. KAUFMAN, Attorney-at-Law,
996 Union Trust Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.
CLERK'S NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY.
No. 13107 in Bankruptcy.
In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania. Samuel M. Sviriman, trading as Herminie Drug Company, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court, at Pittsburgh, in said District, on the 27th day of January, 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.
J. WOOD CLARK, Clerk.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
Notice is hereby given, that on or about January 15, 1928, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly, Subdivision & Section 3, of Act of April 29, 1874 (P. L. 73), amended, the undersigned will make application to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for a charter to organize and operate under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, a corporation, to be known as The Pittsburgh National Mattress Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., for the purpose of manufacturing, buying and selling, at wholesale and retail, mattresses, beds, springs, pillows and bedding, and bedding supplies of every kind and description.
C. F. EDWARDS,
F. B. ADKINS,
V. B. SANG.

M'KENNA & M'KENNA, Attorneys-at-Law,
No. 716 Frick Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mary Heyl, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
J. FRANK M'KENNA, Executor,
716 Frick Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

E. B. GOEHRING, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 1412 Berger Bldg.
Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Louis Serry (unmarried), deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are to make payment, those having claims will make them known to Porter C. Friend, administrator, 818 Farragut st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CHARLES W. JONES, Attorney-at-Law,
421 Union Trust Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Susan Ellen Jones, deceased, late of West Elizabeth, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are to make payment, those having claims will make them known to
JOHN A. JONES, Executor.
Fourth st., West Elizabeth, Pa.

WILLIAM L. JACOB, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 436 Diamond st.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Andrew Schuster, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are to make payment, those having claims will make them known to John W. King, executor, 4917 Cypress st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.
SITTING IN EQUITY.
Between National Mortgage Bond Company, a corporation, plaintiff, and Modern Home Realty Company, a corporation, defendant. No. 332 January Term, 1926.
NOTICE
You are hereby notified that my partial account and a list of the claims proven before me as Receiver of the Modern Home Realty Company has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County at No. 332 January Term, 1926, Sitting in Equity, and that said account will be allowed and distribution of the balance shown thereby will be made among the creditors therein named according to their respective claims on the thirteenth day of January, 1928, unless objections be filed thereto or to any of said claims before that time.
WILLIAM A. WOOD,
Receiver of the Modern Home Realty Company, a corporation.
HERBERT PATTERSON, Attorney-at-Law,
801 Berger Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

TO the Creditors of the Da-Swi-Di Country Club, Inc., also known as Suburban Country Club:
Take notice that the undersigned Receiver has filed its account in the above case at No. 837 January Term, 1925, in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, and that the said Receiver intends to apply to the said court for confirmation thereof on Tuesday, January 3, 1928, at 9:30 o'clock, a. m. Unless exceptions are filed before the day specified, the account may then be confirmed and distribution may then be made.
COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,
Receiver.
WENDT, GRAVER & RICHARDSON,
DAVID M. HARRISON,
Attorneys for Receiver.

M'KENNA & M'KENNA, Attorneys-at-Law,
Frick Building.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Stella Flannery Coyle, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
THOMAS F. COYLE AND VICTOR O. FRIDAY,
Executors.
4724 Bayard st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN H. LAUER, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 601 State Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Leonard Riemer, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
CATHARINE E. HUCKESTEIN,
Administratrix.
348 Pacific ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JAMES F. MALONE, JR., Attorney-at-Law,
Jones Law Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Michael Joseph Hickey, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
ROBERT LLOYD BARRISH,
Administrator,
1000 Jones Law Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN R. LAUGHLIN, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 919 Frick Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John Gallagher, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
MARGARET A. GALLAGHER,
Executrix.
6729 Frankstown ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

MEYER S. SIKOV, Attorney-at-Law,
315 Berger Bldg.
NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Nathan Pitler, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
JACOB M. HEPNER,
Executor.
5652 Melvin St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN H. LAUER, Attorney-at-Law,
601 State Theater Bldg.
NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Joseph Krome, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
STELLA GEIGER,
Executrix.
501 Marie Ave., Avalon, Pa.

I. A. MELNICK, Attorney-at-Law,
307 Jones Law Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Cora Thau, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
J. S. HINCHMAN, Administrator,
5615 Locust st., Philadelphia, Pa.

OSCAR G. MEYER, Attorney-at-Law,
1204 Park Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mary Magdalen Ley, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
ANNA LESCH, Executrix.
1317 Lincoln ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ray A. Thorp, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
THE COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,
Executor.
312 Fourth Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BIALAS & RYAN, Attorneys-at-Law,
1204 Park Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Joseph Maloney, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
ROSE S. MALONEY, Administratrix.
157 Fairmont ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WILLIAM L. GOULLON, Attorney-at-Law,
Standard Life Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration D. B. N., on the estate of William J. Gilbert, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
WILLIAM GILBERT,
Administrator D. B. N.,
327 Thirty-seventh st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Alfred B. Harlow, deceased, late of Borough of Sewickley, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
PEOPLES SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,
Executor.
Fourth ave. and Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

D. I. SHAW, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 969 Berger Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Frederick W. Freewalt, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
GERTRUDE FREEWALT, Executrix.
60 Kearn st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CHAUNCEY LOBINGIER, Attorney-at-Law,
No. 522 Farmers Bank Bldg.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William H. Ninness, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
ALICE S. MINNESS, Administratrix.
150 Meridan st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

R. H. GIFFEN, Attorney-at-Law,
Jones Law Building.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Eva Caroline Nolle, also known as Eva Caroline Warburton, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
MORRIS D. CANTER, Administrator.
323 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

L. C. BARTON, Attorney-at-Law,
311 Ross St.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Duff, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
VALLIE D. BARTON, Administrator,
415 Lloyd st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

G. WILLIAM JONES, JR., Attorney-at-Law,
No. 334 Bakewell Building.
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Wesley H. Kaltenbaugh, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are to make immediate payment, those having claims or demands against same will make them known without delay.
JOHN A. KALTENBAUGH, Administrator,
514 Diamond Bank Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

December 27th, 1927.

SEPARATE and sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Controller until 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, January 3d, 1928, Eastern Standard time, and publicly opened and read in Council Chamber one hour later for Funeral and Undertaking for year 1928.

Blank proposals can be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Welfare, Room 613, City County Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Each proposal submitted must be accompanied by a bond in the sum of Two Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars, fully and legally executed with a Surety or Trust Company, which has complied with the City Ordinances relating thereto; and said bond shall be in the form of bond furnished by the City of Pittsburgh.

The Mayor and the Director of Department of Public Welfare reserve the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal which they deem to be to the best interests of the City of Pittsburgh.

CHARLES H. KLINE,
Mayor.
BERTHA F. RAUH,
Director,
Department of Public Welfare.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, PITTSBURGH, PA., DECEMBER 22nd, 1927.

SEPARATE AND SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the City Controller, first floor, City-County Building, until 10 o'clock A. M., January 10, 1928, and will be publicly opened and read one-half hour later in the City Council Chamber, for the following work, including separate proposals for the Plumbing, Heating and Electric Work, to-wit:

(1) Remodeling, alterations and improvements at No. 15 Engine House, Bureau of Fire, Penn Avenue near 14th Street.

(2) Further repairs, remodeling and alterations at building occupied by Nos. 41 and 47 Engine Companies, Bureau of Fire, Fulton Street and North Lincoln Avenue, North Side.

(3) Remodeling, alterations and repairs at No. 55 Engine House, Bureau of Fire, Orchlee Street near Fleming Avenue, North Side.

Specifications, plans and blank proposals can be obtained at the City Architect's Office, North Side Municipal Building, Ohio and Federal Streets. Contractors will be required to leave a deposit of $2 for each set of plans and specifications, which money will be refunded upon the return of same to the City Architect's Office.

Each proposal submitted must be accompanied by a bond in the sum of 50 per cent of the estimated cost of the work, with two sureties, freeholders in Allegheny County, executed befor the City Clerk or Assistant City Clerk, or the bond of such surety company which has complied with the City Ordinance with reference to furnishing bonds for contracts. Bidders' attention is directed to a provision of the contract requiring a separate bond indemnifying labor and material liability, which shall be given by the successful bidder when contract is executed.

The Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety reserve the right to reject any or all bids submitted or accept any proposal if they deem it to be for the interest of the City of Pittsburgh.

CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
JAMES M. CLARK, Director.

NO. 832.

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, the right and privilege of relocating a curb return at the southeasterly corner of Water street and Smithfield street, to a new location as herein defined, subject to the terms and conditions herein provided.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, shall have the right and privilege, and they are hereby authorized to relocate the curb return at the southeasterly corner of Water and Smithfield streets, from its present location to a new location described as follows:

Beginning in the existing curb on the east side of Smithfield street, near the north end of the Smithfield street bridge at a point in the said curb 1 foot 6 inches north of the north curb of the driveway crossing the sidewalk of Smithfield street, leading to the Cab Stand at the B. & O. R. R. Station, thence northeastwardly by a curve, having a 50-foot radius for an angle of 29 degrees 29 minutes for an arc of 24 feet 6⅝ inches to a point, thence continuing by a curve of 2 feet, radius turning to an angle of 159 degrees 40 minutes for an arc of 5 feet 2¼ inches to a point of connection with the curb dividing the sidewalk along the easterly side of Smithfield street from the Cab Parking Space in front of the B. & O. R. R. Station.

Section 2. The rights and privileges herein granted to Pittsburgh Railways Company shall be upon condition that any and all work involved in the relocation of said curb return, as herein described, shall be done by said Pittsburgh Railways Company at its sole cost and expense.

Section 3. All of the work to be performed, as provided herein, by said Pittsburgh Railways Company shall be done and performed subject to the full satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 4. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE,
Mayor.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 374.

NO. 833.

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, the right to enter upon, use and occupy certain streets and highways in the City of Pittsburgh, with connecting curves at Forbes and Gist streets, Fifth avenue and Gist street, and Seneca and Forbes streets, subject to the terms and conditions herein provided.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, shall have the right and they are hereby authorized to enter upon, use and occupy for street railway purposes the streets and highways in, on and along the following routes, with the right to install, maintain and operate curves and switches over said routes to connect the existing lines on said streets and highways operated by said company:

FIRST CURVE:

BEGINNING in the westbound track on Forbes street at right angles opposite a point in the north curb line of Forbes street, situated 34 feet distant as measured eastwardly along said curb line from its intersection point with the east curb line of Gist street, thence northwestwardly by spiral and circular curve 80 feet, more or less, to a point of connection with the existing single track on Gist street, which point of connection is at right angles opposite a point in the east curb line of Gist street, situated 45 feet as measured northwardly along said curb line from its intersection point with the north curb line of Forbes street.

SECOND CURVE:

BEGINNING again in the existing single track on Gist street at right angles opposite a point in the west curb line of Gist street 55 feet, as measured southwardly along the west curb line of Gist street from its intersection point with the south curb line of Fifth avenue, thence northwestwardly by spiral and circular curve 107 feet, more or less, to a point of connection with the westbound track on Fifth avenue, which point of connection is situated at right angles opposite a point in the south curb line of Fifth avenue, 37 feet as measured westwardly along the said south curb line from its intersection point with the west curb line of Gist street.

THIRD CURVE:

BEGINNING in the existing single track on Seneca street north of Forbes street at right angles opposite a point in the east curb line of Seneca street, situated 35 feet as measured northwardly along the said east curb line of Forbes street, thence by spiral and circular curves southeastwardly 87 feet, more or less, to a point of connection with the eastbound track on Forbes street, which point of connection is situated at right angles opposite a point in the north curb line of Forbes street, 32 feet distant as measured eastwardly along the said north curb line from its intersection with the east curb line of Seneca street.

Section 2. The Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, shall have the right and they are hereby authorized to construct, maintain, operate and use street railway tracks on the curves hereinbefore mentioned, together with the necessary turnouts and connections, and to opeate cars thereon and to use electricity as a motive power and to erect, maintain and use in the streets and highways hereinbefore mentioned, such posts, poles and other supports as said company may deem convenient for the support and maintenance of an overhead system for the operation of street railways, subject, however, to the provisions of the Ordinance approved February 25, 1890, entitled "A General Orinance relating to the entry upon, over or under, or the use or occupation of any street, lane or alley or any part thereof, for any purpose, by passenger or street railway companies or by companies operating passenger or street railways and providing reasonable regulations pertaining thereto for the public convenience and safety."

Section 3. The company shall furnish clean, sanitary and well-lighted cars, properly heated and ventilated, and shall provide sufficient cars to furnish reasonable service to accommodate the traffic.

Section 4. The Pittsburgh Railways Company may assign any of the rights hereinbefore granted to such of the underlying companies operated or to be operated by it as it deems proper, subject to the consent of Council of the City of Pittsburgh, and subject also to the acceptance by said underlying companies of all the terms and provisions of this ordinance.

Section 5. The term of this grant shall be for the period of Fifty (50) years from the date of acceptance hereof.

Section 6. This ordinance shall be accepted by the Pittsburgh Railways Company within Sixty (60) days after its passage or approval, by a certificate of acceptance of all the conditions and provisions thereof. The said certificate to be executed under the corporate seal of the company duly attested by the President or Vice-President, and the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary thereof, and filed with the Controller of the City.

Section 7. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE,
Mayor.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 375.

NO. 834.

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, the right to enter upon and use certain streets and highways in the City of Pittsburgh, subject to the terms and conditions herein provided.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, shall have the right, and they are hereby authorized to enter upon, use and occupy for street railway purposes the streets and highways in and along the following route, with the right to install, maintain and operate a single railway track over said route:

Beginning in the eastbound track on Carson Street, at right angles opposite a point in the south curb line of Carson Street, 36 feet distant as measured westwardly from the intersection point of said curb line with the west curb line of Thirtieth Street, thence northeastwardly by spiral and circular curve 94 feet, more or less to a point on the east flank of Thirtieth Street, 13 feet 2⅝ inches from the east curb line of Thirtieth Street; thence northwardly along Thirtieth Street, parallel with the east curb line and 13 feet 2⅝ inches therefrom 166 feet to a point, thence curving northeastwardly by spiral and circular curve 62 feet to a point in the east property line of Thirtieth Street, situated 196 feet as measured northwardly along the east property line of Thirtieth Street, from its intersection with the north curb line of Carson Street.

Section 2. The Pittsburgh Railways Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, shall have the right and they are hereby authorized to construct, maintain, operate and use a single street railway track on the streets hereinafter mentioned, together with the necessary turnouts and connections, and to operate cars thereon and to use electricity as a motive power and to erect, maintain and use in the streets and highways hereinbefore mentioned, such posts, poles and other supports as said Company may deem convenient for the support and maintenance of an overhead system for the operation of street railways, subject, however, to the provisions of the Ordinance approved February 25, 1890, entitled "A General Ordinance relating to the entry upon, over or under, or the use or occupation of any street, lane or alley or any part thereof, for any purpose by passenger or street railway companies, or by companies operating passenger or street railways, and providing reasonable regulations pertaining thereto for the public convenience and safety."

Section 3. The Company shall furnish clean, sanitary and well lighted cars, properly heated and ventilated, and shall provide sufficient cars to furnish reasonable service to accommodate the traffic.

Section 4. The Pittsburgh Railways Company may assign any of the rights hereinbefore granted to such of the underlying companies operated or to be operated by it as it deems proper, subject to the consent of Council or the City of Pittsburgh, and subject also to the acceptance by said underlying companies of all the terms and provisions of this ordinance.

Section 5. The term of this grant shall be for the period of fifty (50) years from the date of acceptance hereof.

Section 6. This ordinance shall be accepted by the Pittsburgh Railways Company within Sixty (60) days after its passage or approval, by a certificate of acceptance of all the conditions and provisions thereof. The said certificate to be executed under the corporate seal of the Company, duly attested by the President or Vice President, and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary thereof, and filed with the Controller of the City.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, page 377.

NO. 835.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and empowering the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into an Agreement with the Duquesne Slag Products Company for the construction and maintaining of a 54" separate trunk sewer extending on over, across and through the private property of said Duquesne Slag Products Company from the Northeast boundary line which is Southwest of Commercial Street with a 36" lateral extending from the northwest boundary line of John E. Born and the Duquesne Slag Products Company Southeast of Forward Avenue and Zama Road to the main sewer and also a 24" and 36" lateral extending from the Northwest boundary line near the private property of W. O'Connor to the proposed trunk sewer near Elwain Street in the 14th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works, of the City of Pittsburgh, are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into an Agreement with the Duquesne Slag Products Company for the construction and maintaining of a 54" Separate Trunk Sewer extending on, over, across and through the private property of said Company from the northeast boundary line which is southwest of Commercial Street to Elwain Street with a 36" lateral extending from the northwest boundary line of John E. Born and the Duquesne Slag Products Company southeast of Forward Avenue and Zama Road to the main sewer and also a 24" and 36" lateral extending from the northwest boundary line near the private property of W. O'Connor to the proposed trunk sewer near Elwain Street in the 14th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, in the following form and language:

THIS AGREEMENT

Made and entered into this...... day of .... 1927, by and between the City of Pittsburgh, a Municipal Corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by Charles H. Kline, Mayor, and Edward G. Lang, Director of the Department of Public Works, party of the first part and the Duquesne Slag Products Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, party of the second part.

WHEREAS—The City of Pittsburgh is desirous of constructing, operating and maintaining the said separate trunk sewer with branch sewers, and

WHEREAS—The Duquesne Slag Products Company is willing to cooperate with the said City by granting a right of way for the location of said trunk sewer and branch sewers;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, as follows:

(a) The Duquesne Slag Products Company hereby grants to the City of Pittsburgh permission and right to construct, operate, and maintain a fifty-four (54) inch separate trunk sewer extending on, over, across and through the private property of said Duquesne Slag Products Company from the northeast boundary line, which is southwest of Commercial Street to Elwain Street with a thirty-six (36) inch lateral extending from the northwest boundary line of John E. Born and the Duquesne Slag Products Company southeast of Forward Avenue and Zuma Road to the main sewer, and also a twenty-four (24) inch and thirty-six (36) inch lateral extending from the northwest boundary line near the private property of W. O'Connor to the proposed trunk sewer near Elwain Street in the Fourteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

(b) The Duquesne Slag Products Company hereby waives claim to any and all damages to its property by reason of the construction, operation and maintaining of said sewer, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained in this Agreement.

(c) The City of Pittsburgh agrees that the said sewer shall be located in accordance with plan attached hereto and made a part hereof, entitled "Proposed Nine Mile Run Separate Sewer" across the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company from Commercial Street to Dibbs Avenue and identified as Accession No. JD-276 of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh.

(d) The City of Pittsburgh agrees that the entire cost of the construction of said trunk sewer and branch sewers across the property of the said Duquesne Slag Products Company shall be caused or occasioned by or result Further, the City agrees to release discharge, indemnify and save harmless the said Duquesne Slag Products Company from any and all claims, demands, costs and expenses which shall be caused or occasioned by or result from the construction of the said sewer and branch sewers.

(e) The City of Pittsburgh agrees to maintain the said sewer in such a way that the Duquesne Slag Products Company shall in no way suffer any damage from the use or operation of the said sewer for the purpose of its construction and, if, without any fault of the Duquesne Slag Products Company, there should be any damage done to the property of the said Duquesne Slag Products Company by reason of the caving in of the said sewer, or its stoppage or overflow to the property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company, the City shall be liable therefor and indemnify and save harmless the Duquesne Slag Products Company therefrom.

It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that the Duquesne Slag Products Company shall have the right to and may continue to make the fill across its property in the manner and to any height and of the material, or similar material, now being used, and that after the said fill is completed, or at any time, it or its grantees, may place upon said fill any buildings, structures, railroad tracks, roads or streets of any sort that it may see fit, and that neither it nor its assigns or grantees shall in any way be liable to the City of Pittsburgh, or to anyone else, for injury done to this sewer or its branches by such fill or by such buildings, structures, railroad tracks, roads or streets; PROVIDED, if any structures shall be built over said lateral sewers, the foundations thereof shall be so constructed as not to place any undue building load upon said laterals.

(f) It is agreed by the City of Pittsburgh that all manholes or sewer drops which shall be placed anywhere upon the property of Duquesne Slag Products Company shall be located with the approval of the Duquesne Slag Products Company.

(g) The City of Pittsburgh hereby grants unto the said Duquesne Slag Products Company, its successors, assigns or grantees of lots, the right to make connections with said trunk sewer or branch sewers for sanitary sewage.

(h) The City of Pittsburgh agrees, upon the completion of the sewer, that the trench for the sewer will be filled up and all waste materials shall be leveled and the ground about the sewer left in as neat and orderly a condition as before the commencement of the construction, as far as practicable.

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into by virtue of an ordinance of the City Council heretofore passed, approved by the Mayor on the.......... day of.......... 1927; and by the Duquesne Slag Products Company in pursuance of a Resolution of its Board of Directors, passed upon the .... day of .... 1927.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to this Agreement have caused the same to be duly executed by the proper officers of the said Corporations, the day and year first above written.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH
.... Mayor
....
Mayor's Secretary.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
By.............................. Director.
ATTEST:
By.............................. President.
ATTEST:
....
Secretary.
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
....
City Solicitor.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 378.

NO. 836.

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for no parking at any time on Exchange Way between Water Street and Eleventh Street, by amending and supplementing portions of Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violations thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 2, Paragraph (c) of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented, which Paragraph (c), as amended, has the following heading:

"(c) NO PARKING AT ANY TIME Upon the following streets or portions of streets, no driver of a vehicle shall permit it to remain standing for a longer period than is necessary to receive or discharge persons or deliver or load merchandise then in readiness for immediate removal. This regulation is to be in effect Twenty-four (24) hours each day."

shall be and the same is hereby further supplemented by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Exchange Way, between Water Street and Eleventh Street."

Section 2. Any person violating any parking regulations on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh shall be fined as follows:

For the first offense..............$1.00
For the second offense within a period of six months.............. 2.00
For the third or subsequent offenses 3.00

In default of the payment of the fine hereinabove provided, such person shall be sentenced by the Alderman or Police Magistrate to the Allegheny County Jail for a period not to exceed five (5) days.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 381.

No. 837.

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for "No Parking between 4:30 and 6:00 P. M." on the westerly side of Bigelow Boulevard, between Craig Street and Center Avenue, by amending and supplementing portions of Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That Section 2, Paragraph (gg), of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented, which Paragraph (gg) has the following heading:

"(gg) Upon the following streets or portion of streets, no driver of a vehicle shall permit it to remain standing for a longer time than is necessary to receive or discharge passengers or deliver or load merchandise then in readiness for immediate removal, between the hours of 4:30 P. M. and 6:00 P. M., daily, except Sunday," shall be and the same is hereby further supplemented by adding at the end thereof, the following:

"On the westerly side of Bigelow Boulevard, between Craig Street and Center Avenue."

Section 2. Any person violating any parking regulation on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh shall be fined as follows:

For the first offense..............$1.00
For the second offense within a period of six months.............. 2.00
For the third or subsequent offenses 3.00

In default of the payment of the fine hereinabove provided, such person shall be sentenced by the Alderman or Police Magistrate to the Allegheny County Jail for a period not to exceed five (5) days.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 382.

NO. 838.

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for "No Parking 8:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m." on Stanwix street between Penn avenue and Liberty avenue by amending and supplementing portions of Section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That Section 2, Paragraph (e) of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use and operation of vehicles on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh and providing penalties for the violation thereof," approved October 3, 1922, as amended and supplemented, which Paragraph (e), as amended, has the following heading:

"(e) The following streets or portions of streets are hereby designated as Class AA streets, upon which no driver of a vehicle shall permit it to remain standing for a longer time than is necessary to receive or discharge persons or deliver or load merchandise then in readiness for immediate removal between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. daily, except Sunday," shall be and the same is hereby further amended by striking out of the clause

"Stanwix street, between Liberty avenue and Penn avenue east side only)" the words

"East Side Only."

Section 2. Any person violating any parking regulations on the streets of the City of Pittsburgh shall be fined as follows:

For the first offense $1.00
For the second offense within a period of six months 2.00
For the third or subsequent offenses 3.00

In default of the payment of the fine hereinabove provided, such person shall be sentenced by the Alderman or Police Magistrate to the Allegheny County Jail for a period not to exceed five (5) days.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE,
Mayor.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 383.

NO. 839.

AN ORDINANCE—Approving Harry Mellon Plan of Lots situate in the Fourteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Harry Mellon, accepting the dedication of Lilac street, Ludwick street and Rosemoor street as shown thereon for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas—Harry Mellon, the owner of a certain piece of property in the Fourteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out in a plan of lots called "Harry Mellon Plan" has located certain streets thereon and executed a Deed of Dedication on said plan for all ground covered by said streets to the said City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes and has released the said City of Pittsburgh from liabilities for damages occasioned by the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established. Therefore:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That Harry Mellon Plan of Lots situate in the Fourteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Harry Mellon, July, 1927, be and the same is hereby approved and Lilac street, Ludwick street and Rosemoor street as located and dedicated in said plan are hereby accepted.

Section 2. The streets as aforesaid dedicated to the said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Lilac street, Ludwick street and Rosemoor street.

Section 3. The grades of Lilac street, Ludwick street and Rosemoor street, laid out and dedicated in the Harry Mellon Plan of Lots are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 740, approved November 3, 1927, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 292.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said Lilac street, Ludwick street and Rosemoor street for public highways in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 384.

NO. 840.

AN ORDINANCE — Accepting the dedication of certain property in the 14th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Lilac Street and establishing the grade thereon.

WHEREAS—School District of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, a public corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, domiciled in the City of Pittsburgh in said Commonwealth, owner of the property hereinafter described has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain Deed of dedication bearing date of December 9th, 1927, now on file in the Office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to said City for public street or public highway purposes and has released said City from any liabilities for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highway to the grade hereinafter established. Therefore:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the said Deed of Dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground as aforesaid conveyed to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Dedication and shall be known as Lilac Street, the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—

Beginning on the easterly line of Saline Street at the line dividing lots numbers 4 and 5 in Partition Proceedings of the Estate of George Sutch, deceased at No. 3 March Terms, 1865, in Orphans' Court of Allegheny County; thence extending north 83° 25' 20" east 259.17 feet to a point; thence extending north 56° 47' 25" east 216.27 feet to a point; thence extending south 2° 12' 35" east 17.0 feet to a point on the line dividing lots numbers 4 and 5 in said Partition Proceedings, being the line dividing properties of the Board of Public Education and Harry Mellon; thence extending along last mentioned dividing line south 56° 47' 25" west 504.94 feet to a point on the easterly line of Saline Street at the place of beginning.

The grade of the north curb line shall begin on the east curb line of Saline Street at an elevation 358.20 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 25.11 feet to a point of tangent at an elevation of 360.90 feet; thence rising at the rate of 13.6% for the distance of 244.01 feet to a point of curve at an elevation of 394.05 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 20.19 feet to a point of tangent opposite the west curb line of Ludwick Street at an elevation of 395.75 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.966% for the distance of 57.49 feet to a point of curve at an elevation of 397.45 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent at an elevation of 395.62 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6.02% for the distance of 50.31 feet to a point of horizontal curve distant 519.96 feet eastwardly from the east curb line of Saline Street at an elevation of 392.59 feet.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 385.

NO. 841.

AN ORDINANCE — Accepting the dedication of certain property in the 14th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Shady Avenue and establishing the grade thereon.

Whereas—School District of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, a public corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, domiciled in the City of Pittsburgh in said Commonwealth, owner of the property hereinafter described has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain Deed of Dedication bearing date of December 9th, 1927 now on file in the Office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to said City for public street or public highway purposes and has released said City from any liabilities for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highway to the grade hereinafter established. Therefore:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the said Deed of Dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground as aforesaid conveyed to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Dedication and shall be known as Shady Avenue, the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—

Beginning on the southerly line of Caton Street at the line dividing the property of Harry Mellon and the Board of Public Education, said place of beginning being south 55° 31' 30" east 51.42 feet from the westerly line of Shady Avenue; thence extending south 6° 42' 30" west 142.07 feet to a point; thence extending south 56° 47' 25" west 142.35 feet to a point; thence extending north 2° 12' 35" west 17.0 feet to a point; thence extending in a northeasterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 100.0 feet and a central angle of 56° 04' 55" for the distance of 150.24 feet to a point of tangent; thence extending north 6° 42' 30" east 78.15 feet to a point on the southerly line of Caton Street; thence extending along the said southerly line of Caton Street south 55° 31' 30" east 50.11 feet to the place of beginning.

The Grade of the west curb line shall begin at the southerly line of Caton Street at an elevation of 260.60 feet; thence rising at the rate of 14.92% for the distance of 144.27 feet to a point of curve at an elevation of 382.12 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent on the northerly curb line of Lilac Street at an elevation of 392.59 feet, said point of tangent being at the point of horizontal curve distant 519.96 feet eastwardly from the east curb line of Saline Street.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 386.

NO. 842.

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Fifth Avenue at the intersection with Hamilton Avenue in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Fifth Avenue at the intersection with Hamilton Avenue in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh be widened to a variable width by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Fifth Avenue with the southerly line of Hamilton Avenue for the distance of 39 feet to a point said point being on the dividing line between properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., and that now or late of Amelia R. Speer; thence in a northeasterly direction by the line dividing the properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and that now or late of Amelia R. Speer for the distance of 26.34 feet to a point of curve; thence by the arc of a curve having a radius of 30 feet and a central angle of 60° 19' 25" for the distance of 31.59 feet to a point on the southerly line of Hamilton Avenue; thence in a westerly direction along the southerly line of Hamilton Avenue for the distance of 30.42 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Fifth Avenue, at its intersection with Hamilton Avenue in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 387.

NO. 843.

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating a portion of Thum way in the 24th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Claim street to a point distant 69.0 feet eastwardly therefrom.

WHEREAS—It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the Office of the City Clerk that the owner of the property fronting or abutting upon the line of that portion of Thum way in the 24th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Claim street to a point distant 69.0 feet eastwardly therefrom, has petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an ordinance for the vacation of the same: Therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That that portion of Thum way in the 24th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Claim street to a point distant 69.0 feet eastwardly therefrom, as hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby vacated.

BEGINNING on the easterly line of Claim street at its intersection with the southerly line of Thum way; thence in a northerly direction along the said easterly line of Claim street a distance of 12.0 feet more or less to a point at the intersection of the northerly line of Thum way; thence in an easterly direction along the said northerly line of Thum way a distance of 69.0 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 90° and in a southerly direction a distance of 12.— feet more or less to a point on the southerly line of Thum way at the intersection of the easterly lot line late of John J. Miller; thence deflecting to the right 90° and in a westerly direction along the said southerly line of Thum way a distance of 69.0 feet to a point on the easterly line of Claim street at the place of beginning.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 388.

NO. 844.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a 30" steel Rising Main and appurtenances from the Mission Street Pumping Station on, over, across and through various public avenues, streets and ways, and properties of A. Bonsheur and S. M. Phillips, Trustee, and the City of Pittsburgh, in the 16th, 17th and 18th Wards of the City of Pittsburgh, to and connecting with the Allentown Tanks, as shown on a plan hereto attached and made part hereof, and providing for the authorization and the setting aside of the sum of One Hundred Thirty-seven Thousand ($137,000.00) Dollars from the proceeds of Bond Fund No. 267, "People's Bond Issue, 1926," for the payment of the City's share of the costs, damages and expenses thereof, and authorizing and providing for the letting of a contract therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract, or contracts, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for the construction of a 30" steel Rising Main and appurtenances from Mission Street Pumping Station on, over, across and through various avenues, streets and ways and properties of A. Bonsheur and S. M. Phillips, Trustee, and the City of Pittsburgh, in the 16th, 17th and 18th Wards of the City of Pittsburgh, to and connecting with the Allentown Tanks as shown on a plan hereto attached and made part hereof. Said contract or contracts to be awarded for a sum not to exceed One Hundred Thirty-seven Thousand ($137,000.00) Dollars.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders, for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

Section 3. That the sum of One Hundred Thirty-seven Thousand ($137,000.00) Dollars, or so much of the same as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from the proceeds of the "People's Bond Issue, 1926," Bond Fund No. 267, for the payment of payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 389.

NO. 845.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a 33", 48", and 54" Separate Sewer in the Nine Mile Run Drainage Basin on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park), from a point about 330 feet southwardly of the angle on Trevanion Street at Agate Way; thence northwestwardly and southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park) to Commercial Street; thence southwestwardly across Commercial Street to the private property of T. McNeil; thence continuing southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of T. McNeil, A. H. Byers and the Duquesne Slag Products Company to Elwain Street; thence southeastwardly along Elwain Street to Ettwein Street; thence southeastwardly along Ettwein Street to the private property of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Company; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Company to Second Avenue; thence continuing southeastwardly across Second Avenue to the private property of the United Traction Company of Pittsburgh; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the United Traction Company of Pittsburgh to the Monongahela River. With a branch sewer 33" in diameter on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park), from the existing 5-foot brick sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park), south of Forbes Street; thence southwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park) to the 48" sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park). With a branch sewer 24" and 36" in diameter on Forward Avenue, from a point opposite Zama Road; thence southeastwardly along Forward Avenue to the private property of John E. Born; thence southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of John E. Born and the Duquesne Slag Products Company to the sewer on the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company, southwest of Commercial Street. With a branch sewer 24" and 36" in diameter on Unnamed Way, from the existing sewer on the easterly sidewalk of Beechwood Boulevard opposite Luster Street; thence southeastwardly along Unnamed Way to the private property of J. W. Dailey; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of J. W. Dailey, the City of Pittsburgh and L. B. Chubbuck to Unnamed Way; thence southwardly and southeastwardly along Unnamed Way to the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company; thence southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company to the sewer on the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company northwest of Elwain Street; also the construction of lateral connections across the private properties from existing sewers discharging into Nine Mile Run to the main sewer and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of same shall be assessed against and collected from properties especially benefited thereby and authorizing and setting aside the sum of Three Hundred Thousand ($300,000) Dollars, from the proceeds of Bond Fund No. 269, "Peoples Bond Issue 1926" for the payment of the City's share of the cost thereof and further authorizing and providing for the letting of a contract therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a 33", 48" and 54" separate sewer in the Nine Mile Run Drainage Basin on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park), from a point about 330 feet southwardly of the angle on Trevanion Street to Agate Way; thence northwestwardly and southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park) to Commercial Street; thence southwestwardly across Commercial Street to the private property of T. McNeil; thence continuing southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of T. McNeil, A. H. Byers and the Duquesne Slag Products Company to Elwain Street; thence continuing southwestwardly along Elwain Street to Ettwein Street; thence southeastwardly along Ettwein Street to the private property of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Company; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Company to Second Avenue to the private property of the United Traction Company of Pittsburgh; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the United Traction Company of Pittsburgh to the Monongahela River. With a branch sewer 33" in diameter on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park), from the existing 5 foot brick sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park) south of Forbes Street; thence southwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park) to the 48" sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Frick Park). With a branch sewer 24" and 36" in diameter on Forward Avenue, from a point opposite Zama Road, thence southeastwardly along Forward Avenue to the private property of John E. Born; thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of John E. Born and the Duquesne Slag Products Company southwest of Commercial Street. With a branch sewer 24" and 36" in diameter on Unnamed Way from the existing sewer on the easterly sidewalk of Beechwood Boulevard, opposite Luster Street; thence southeastwardly along Unnamed Way to the private property of J. W. Dailey, thence continuing southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private properties of J. W. Dailey, the City of Pittsburgh and L. B. Chubbuck to Unnamed Way; thence southwardly and southeastwardly along Unnamed Way to the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company; thence southeastwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company to the sewer on the private property of the Duquesne Slag Products Company, northwest of Elwain Street, also the construction of lateral connections across the private properties from existing sewers discharging from Nine Mile Run to the main sewer. Said sewer and branch sewers and the construction of lateral connections across private properties shall be constructed in accordance with Plans Accession Nos. D-3161 to D-3172, inclusive, on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works. Said contracts to be awarded for a sum not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand ($300,000.00) Dollars, and the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

Section 2. That the costs, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from the properties specially benefited thereby and the sum of Three Hundred Thousand ($300,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from the proceeds of Bond Fund No. 269, "Peoples Bond Issue 1926," for additions, extension and improvements to the sewerage and drainage systems of the City, for the payment of the City's share of the cost of said work, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 390.

NO. 846.

AN ORDINANCE—Amending a portion of Section 2 of Ordinance No. 614, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a Public Sewer on Bond street, Herrod street, Werder street, Milford street, Milford way, Stem street, Danley street and Private Property of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point about 320 feet northeast of Herrod street to the existing 48" brick sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh northwest of Danley street. With branch sewers on Werder street, Lakewood street, Stem street and Prager way and Valley Rue street. Also a sewer on Titus street, Herrod street and Danley street, from a point about 40 feet northeast of Herrod street, to the existing sewer on Rudd street. Also sewers on both sidewalks of Lakewood street, from points opposite and about 10 feet of Othello street to the existing sewer on Lakewood street, southeast of Ramona street and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby, and further authorizing and providing for the letting of a contract therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the portion of Section 2 of Ordinance No. 614, entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a Public Sewer on Bond street, Herrod street, Werder street, Milford street Milford way, Stem street, Danley street and private property of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point about 320 feet northeast of Herrod street, to the existing 48" brick sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh northwest of Danley street. With branch sewers on Werder street, Lakewood street, Stem street and Prager way and Valley Rue street. Also a sewer on Titus street, Herrod street and Danley street, from a point about 40 feet northeast of Herrod street, to the existing sewer on Rudd street. Also sewers on both sidewalks of Lakewood street, from points opposite and about 10 feet south of Othello street, to the existing sewer on Lakewood street southeast of Ramona street, etc., which was approved July 29th, 1927, and reads as follows:

"Thiry-Four Thousand ($34,000.00) Dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works," be amended to read:

"Fifty-Two Thousand ($52,000.00) Dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works."

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 392.

NO. 847.

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of contracts for materials and general supplies required by the several Departments of the City Government for the year beginning January 1st, 1928.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise, from time to time, during the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1928, for proposals for furnishing materials and general supplies required by the several departments of the City Government, and to award a contract or contracts for the same to the lowest responsible bidder for each item, in the manner and form prescribed by law.

Section 2. That the cost of such materials or supplies shall be chargeable to and payable from the appropriation made to the Department of Supplies, or to the various departments for the purchase of such materials and supplies as may be required and authorized during the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1928, by the respective appropriation ordinances.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 393.

NO. 848.

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of One Hundred (more or less) rocking chairs and Two Hundred (200) (more or less) Bentwood Chairs for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, Mayview, Pa., and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing of One Hundred (more or less) rocking chairs and Two Hundred (200) (more or less) Bentwood Chairs, for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, Mayview, Pa., at a cost not to exceed the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1337-Equipment.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 39, Page 394.

NO. 849.

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 1 of an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance, entitled 'An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for further repairs, remodeling and alterations at building occupied by Nos. 41 and 47 Engine Companies, Bureau of Fire, Fulton Street and North Lincoln Avenue, North Side,' approved the 27th day of October, A. D. 1927, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 275," approved the 1st day of December, A. D. 1927, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 327.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 1 of an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance, entitled 'An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for further repairs, remodeling and alteratons at building occupied by Nos. 41 and 47 Engine Companies, Bureau of Fire, Fulton Street and North Lincoln Avenue, North Side,' approved the 27th day of October, A. D. 1927, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 275," approved the 1st day of December, A. D. 1927, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 327, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for further repairs, remodeling and alterations to the building occupied by Nos. 41 and 47 Engine Companies, corner of Fulton Street and North Lincoln Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, 'An Act for the Government of Cities of the Second Class,' approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of the City Council in such cases made and provided, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred ($12,500.00) Dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 258, Public Safety Bonds, Series 1925. Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for further repairs, remodeling and alterations to the building occupied by Nos. 41 and 47 Engine Companies, corner of Fulton Street and North Lincoln Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the Government of Cities of the Second Class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred ($12,500.00) Dollars, and to be charged to the following Code Accounts:—

Code Account No. 258, Public Safety Bonds, Series 1925, the sum of $6,000.00.
Code Account No. 99, Reedsdale Street Explosion, the sum of $6,500.00.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.

Approved December 21, 1927.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, Page 394.

NO. 850.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving for the widening of Second avenue, from Ferry street to Block House way, and authorizing the setting aside of the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000.00) Dollars from the Bond Fund 279-A, People's Bond Issue, 1926, for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the grading, regrading, paving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving for the widening of Second avenue, from Ferry street to Block House way, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing the said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the cost thereof the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Bond Fund 279-A, People's Bond Issue, 1926, and the Mayor and the City Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn on said fund for the payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 19, 1927.
Approved December 21, 1927.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 39, page 395.

NO. 851.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of the sidewalks, parapets and drainage system of the Lincoln Avenue Bridge over Washington Boulevard, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the reconstruction of the sidewalks, parapets and drainage system of the Lincoln Avenue Bridge over Washington Boulevard at an estimated cost of Two Thousand Seven Hundred ($2,700.00) Dollars, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred ($2,700.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriate from Code Account No. 1569-E Repa Schedule, and the Mayor be and he hereby authorized to issue and Controller to countersign warra drawn on said fund in payment the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance part of Ordinance conflicting the provisions of this Ordinanc and the same is hereby repealec far as the same affects this Ordin

Passed in Council December 19,
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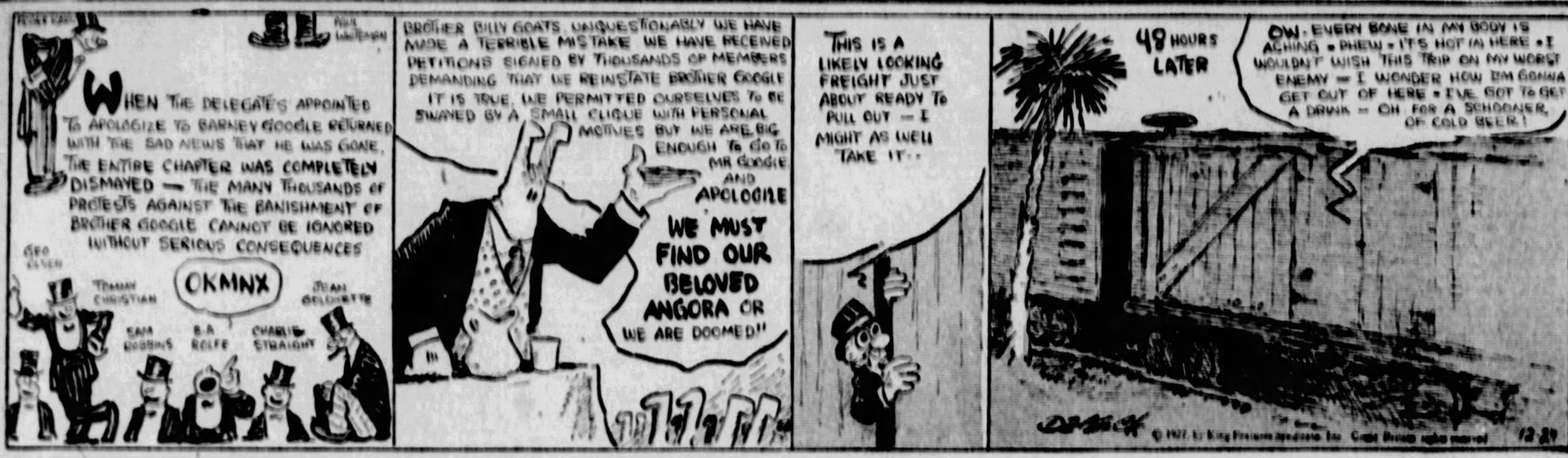
BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG — Barney Has His "Private" Car


PAUL WHITEMAN
WHEN THE DELEGATES APPOINTED TO APOLOGIZE TO BARNEY GOOGLE RETURNED WITH THE SAD NEWS THAT HE WAS GONE, THE ENTIRE CHAPTER WAS COMPLETELY DISMAYED — THE MANY THOUSANDS OF PROTESTS AGAINST THE BANISHMENT OF BROTHER GOOGLE CANNOT BE IGNORED WITHOUT SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES
GEO OLSEN
TOMMY CHRISTIAN
OKMNX
JEAN GOLDKETTE
SAM ROBBINS
B.A. ROLFE
CHARLIE STRAIGHT
BROTHER BILLY GOATS, UNQUESTIONABLY WE HAVE MADE A TERRIBLE MISTAKE. WE HAVE RECEIVED PETITIONS SIGNED BY THOUSANDS OF MEMBERS DEMANDING THAT WE REINSTATE BROTHER GOOGLE. IT IS TRUE, WE PERMITTED OURSELVES TO BE SWAYED BY A SMALL CLIQUE WITH PERSONAL MOTIVES BUT WE ARE BIG ENOUGH TO GO TO MR GOOGLE AND APOLOGIZE
WE MUST FIND OUR BELOVED ANGORA OR WE ARE DOOMED!!
THIS IS A LIKELY LOOKING FREIGHT JUST ABOUT READY TO PULL OUT — I MIGHT AS WELL TAKE IT..
48 HOURS LATER
OW - EVERY BONE IN MY BODY IS ACHING - PHEW - IT'S HOT IN HERE - I WOULDN'T WISH THIS TRIP ON MY WORST ENEMY — I WONDER HOW I'M GONNA GET OUT OF HERE - I'VE GOT TO GET A DRINK — OH FOR A SCHOONER OF COLD BEER!
DEBECK
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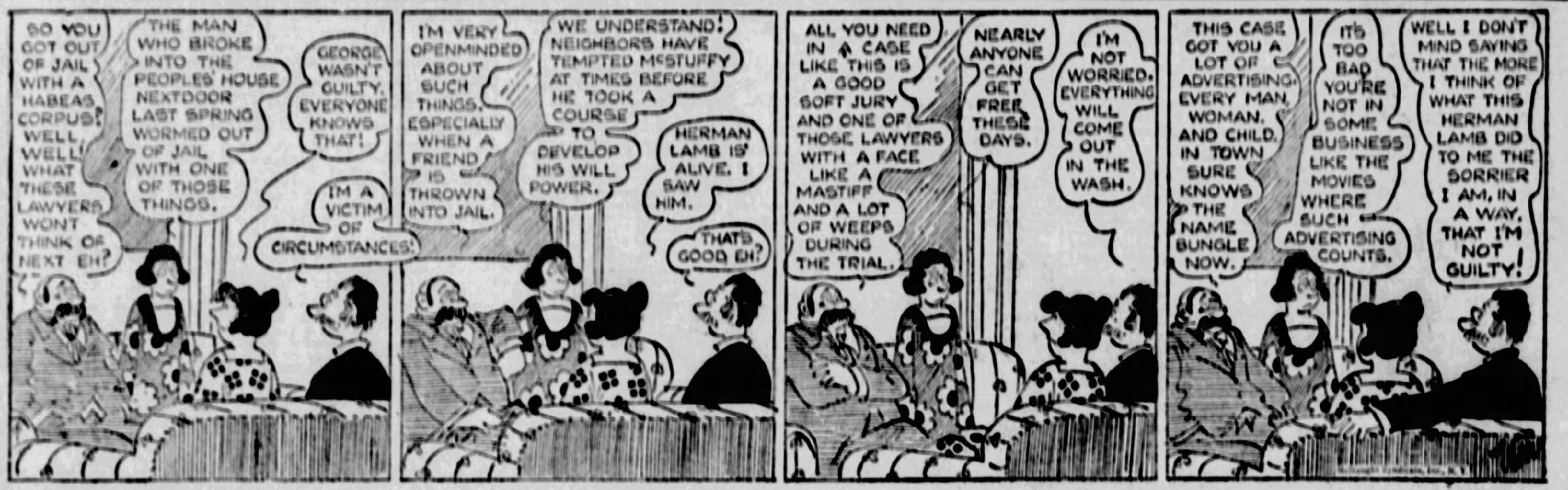
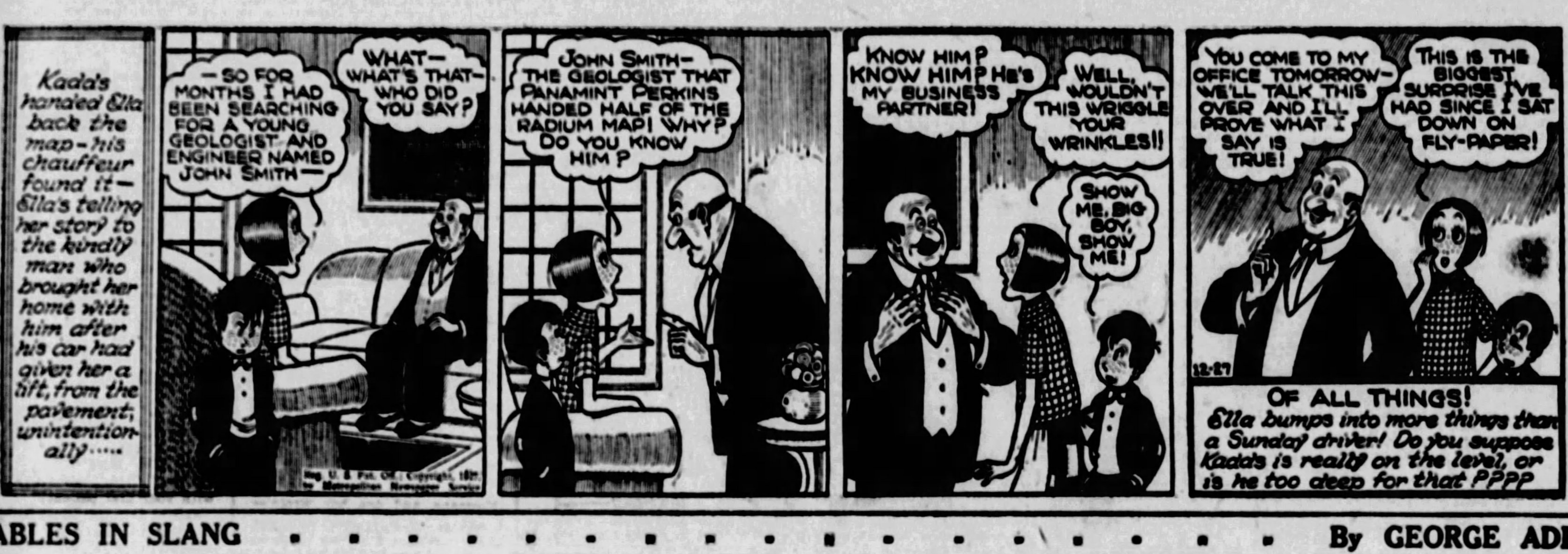
THE BUNGLE FAMILY — Friendly Cheer


SO YOU GOT OUT OF JAIL WITH A HABEAS CORPUS! WELL, WELL! WHAT THESE LAWYERS WONT THINK OF NEXT EH?
THE MAN WHO BROKE INTO THE PEOPLES' HOUSE NEXTDOOR LAST SPRING WORMED OUT OF JAIL WITH ONE OF THOSE THINGS.
GEORGE WASN'T GUILTY. EVERYONE KNOWS THAT!
I'M A VICTIM OF CIRCUMSTANCES!
I'M VERY OPENMINDED ABOUT SUCH THINGS, ESPECIALLY WHEN A FRIEND IS THROWN INTO JAIL.
WE UNDERSTAND! NEIGHBORS HAVE TEMPTED McSTUFFY AT TIMES BEFORE HE TOOK A COURSE TO DEVELOP HIS WILL POWER.
HERMAN LAMB IS ALIVE. I SAW HIM.
THAT'S GOOD EH?
ALL YOU NEED IN A CASE LIKE THIS IS A GOOD SOFT JURY AND ONE OF THOSE LAWYERS WITH A FACE LIKE A MASTIFF AND A LOT OF WEEPS DURING THE TRIAL.
NEARLY ANYONE CAN GET FREE THESE DAYS.
I'M NOT WORRIED. EVERYTHING WILL COME OUT IN THE WASH.
THIS CASE GOT YOU A LOT OF ADVERTISING. EVERY MAN, WOMAN, AND CHILD, IN TOWN SURE KNOWS THE NAME BUNGLE NOW.
IT'S TOO BAD YOU'RE NOT IN SOME BUSINESS LIKE THE MOVIES WHERE SUCH ADVERTISING COUNTS.
WELL I DON'T MIND SAYING THAT THE MORE I THINK OF WHAT THIS HERMAN LAMB DID TO ME THE SORRIER I AM, IN A WAY, THAT I'M NOT GUILTY!

ELLA CINDERS — John Smith's Partner


Kadd's handed Ella back the map—his chauffeur found it—Ella's telling her story to the kindly man who brought her home with him after his car had given her a lift, from the pavement; unintentionally.....
—SO FOR MONTHS I HAD BEEN SEARCHING FOR A YOUNG GEOLOGIST AND ENGINEER NAMED JOHN SMITH—
WHAT—WHAT'S THAT—WHO DID YOU SAY?
JOHN SMITH—THE GEOLOGIST THAT PANAMINT PERKINS HANDED HALF OF THE RADIUM MAP! WHY? DO YOU KNOW HIM?
KNOW HIM? KNOW HIM? He's MY BUSINESS PARTNER!
WELL, WOULDN'T THIS WRIGGLE YOUR WRINKLES!!
SHOW ME, BIG BOY, SHOW ME!
YOU COME TO MY OFFICE TOMORROW—WE'LL TALK THIS OVER AND I'LL PROVE WHAT I SAY IS TRUE!
THIS IS THE BIGGEST SURPRISE I'VE HAD SINCE I SAT DOWN ON FLY-PAPER!
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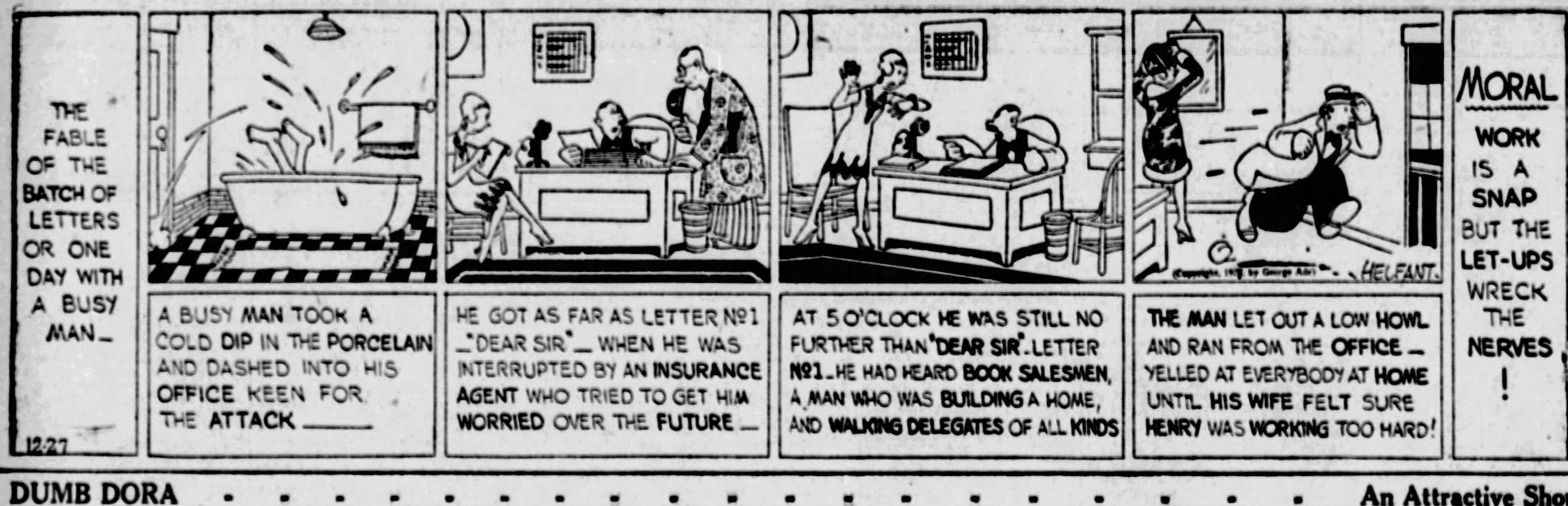
OF ALL THINGS!
Ella bumps into more things than a Sunday driver! Do you suppose Kadd's is really on the level, or is he too deep for that ????

FABLES IN SLANG — By GEORGE ADE


THE FABLE OF THE BATCH OF LETTERS OR ONE DAY WITH A BUSY MAN—
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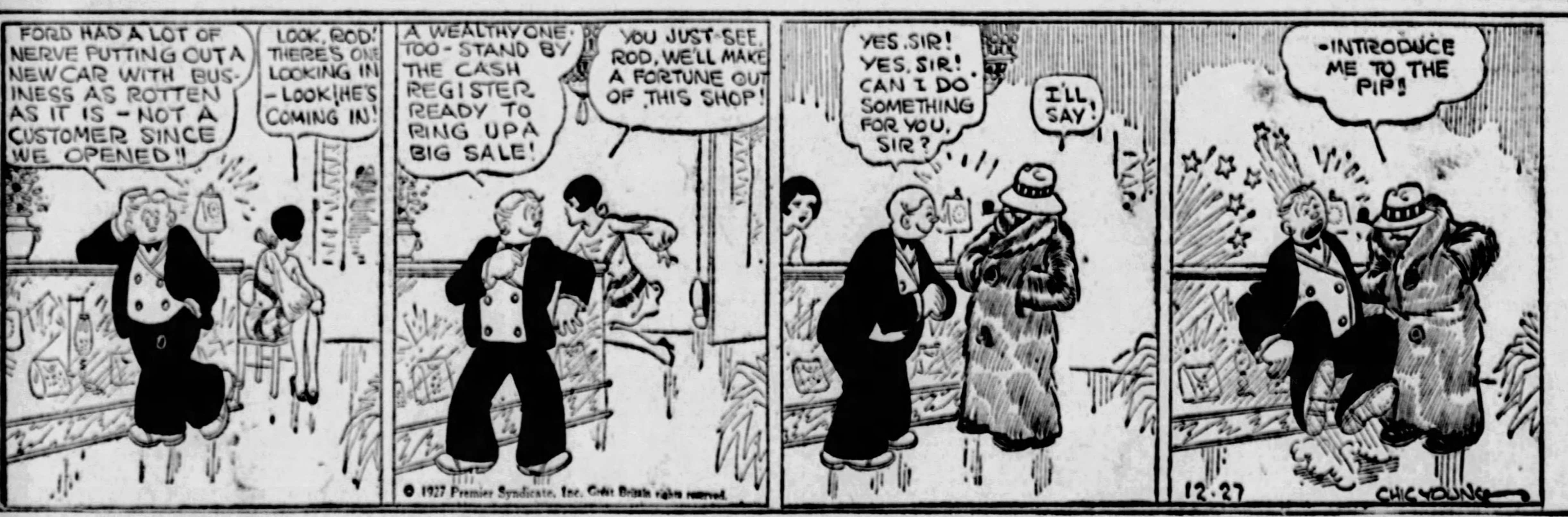
A BUSY MAN TOOK A COLD DIP IN THE PORCELAIN AND DASHED INTO HIS OFFICE KEEN FOR THE ATTACK ——
HE GOT AS FAR AS LETTER No 1 —"DEAR SIR"— WHEN HE WAS INTERRUPTED BY AN INSURANCE AGENT WHO TRIED TO GET HIM WORRIED OVER THE FUTURE —
AT 5 O'CLOCK HE WAS STILL NO FURTHER THAN "DEAR SIR". LETTER No 1 — HE HAD HEARD BOOK SALESMEN, A MAN WHO WAS BUILDING A HOME, AND WALKING DELEGATES OF ALL KINDS
THE MAN LET OUT A LOW HOWL AND RAN FROM THE OFFICE — YELLED AT EVERYBODY AT HOME UNTIL HIS WIFE FELT SURE HENRY WAS WORKING TOO HARD!
MORAL
WORK IS A SNAP BUT THE LET-UPS WRECK THE NERVES!
HELFANT

DUMB DORA — An Attractive Shop


FORD HAD A LOT OF NERVE PUTTING OUT A NEW CAR WITH BUSINESS AS ROTTEN AS IT IS — NOT A CUSTOMER SINCE WE OPENED!!
LOOK, ROD! THERE'S ONE LOOKING IN — LOOK! HE'S COMING IN!
A WEALTHY ONE, TOO — STAND BY THE CASH REGISTER READY TO RING UP A BIG SALE!
YOU JUST SEE, ROD, WE'LL MAKE A FORTUNE OUT OF THIS SHOP!
YES, SIR! YES, SIR! CAN I DO SOMETHING FOR YOU, SIR?
I'LL SAY!
-INTRODUCE ME TO THE PIP!
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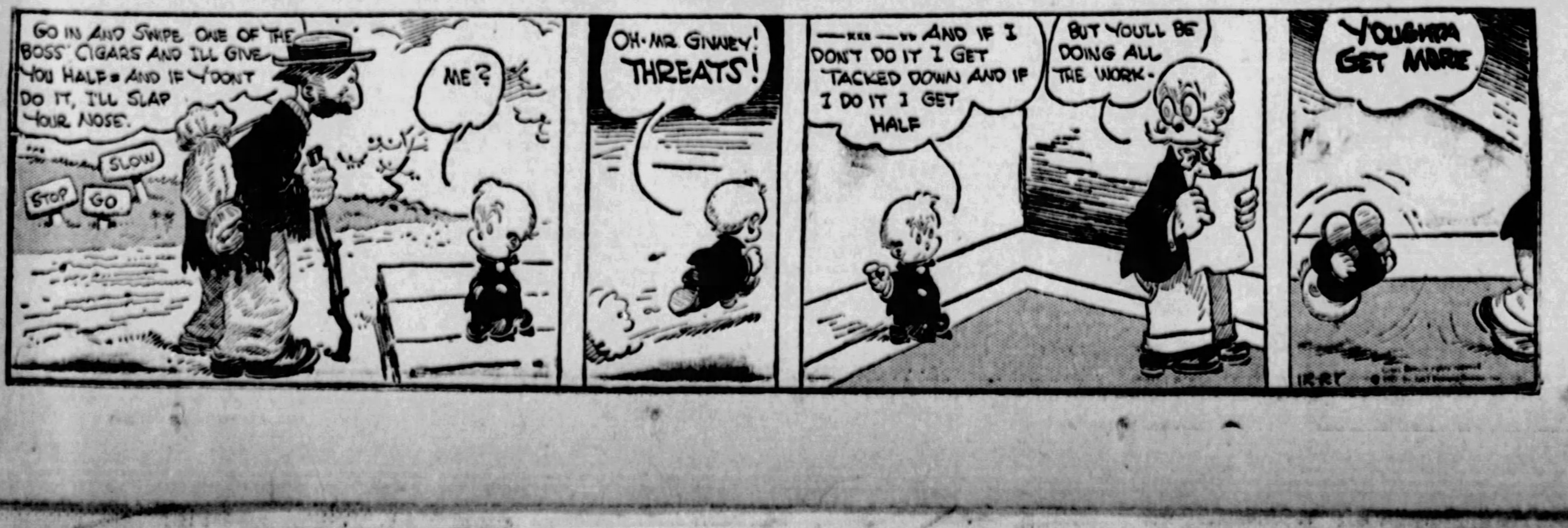
CHIC YOUNG

JERRY ON THE JOB — For a Fair Wage


GO IN AND SWIPE ONE OF THE BOSS' CIGARS AND I'LL GIVE YOU HALF - AND IF Y'DONT DO IT, I'LL SLAP YOUR NOSE.
STOP
SLOW
GO
ME?
OH - MR GINNEY! THREATS!
—...—.. AND IF I DON'T DO IT I GET TACKED DOWN AND IF I DO IT I GET HALF
BUT YOU'LL BE DOING ALL THE WORK.
YOUGHTA GET MORE
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COOK-COOS by Ted Cook

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"The controversy over companionate marriages," says the Rev. Mr. Wiley, "will never be settled until some couple stays married long enough to give it a fair trial."

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"The good ship, Matrimony," he adds, "is now an excursion boat."

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OUR DAILY PUZZLE

(From La Crosse, Wis., Tribune.)

"Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Breyer are the parents of a seven-pound son, born November 12 at La Crosse Methodist Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, 2027 Liberty street."

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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

Editor—

Six weeks ago I fell and broke my leg. Having no use for the splints, I took them to the doctor and asked him to make an offer. Imagine my embarrassment when he offered to break the leg over again.

Joe Doakes.

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Furthermore, a book company of New York announces a new volume, "Mathematics for Engineers," by Raymond Dull.

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On the back of the binding it says—

Mathematics
for
Engineers
———
Dull.

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The girl I hate
Is Milly Lo,
She eats and says,
"I gotta go."

* * *

"And golddiggers' children," says Moronia, "will probably brag about the guys that mother used to break."

CUTEST THING BABY EVER SAID

My baby is 22, going on 23. The other night she cried because she couldn't have her grog. "See here, Sweetie Pie," said I (I call her Sweetie Pie—I forget her real name). "See here," said I, "don't you like your Sugar Daddy any more?" "Don't be sil," she lisped. "Of course I like your sugar, Daddy."

J. ARGONAUT SCAFFLE.

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THOUGHT FOR TODAY

"There are just two kinds of gin—synthetic and unobtainable."

* * *

SIR—

IN REGARD TO THE YOUNG MAN WHO INHERITED NINE MILLION DOLLARS ($9,000,000) AND IS NOW WORKING FOR $35 A WEEK, IF HE WASN'T KICKED BY A HORSE WHEN YOUNG, I'VE GOT A HORSE.

GORDON C.

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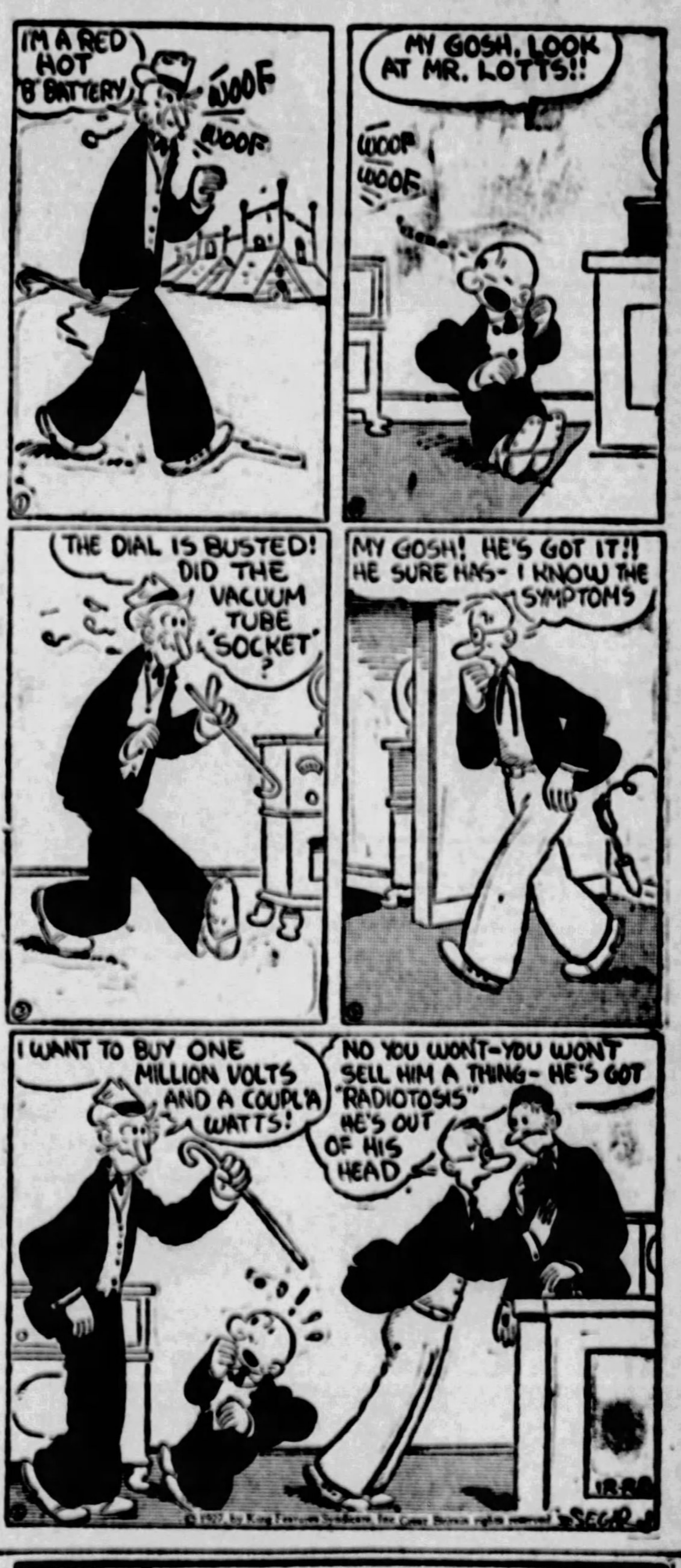
FAMOUS LAST WORDS

I am 54, but I don't feel a day over 20.

The Thimble Theater

A Pulmotor Will Restore His Air


I'M A RED HOT "B" BATTERY
WOOF
WOOF
MY GOSH, LOOK AT MR. LOTTS!!
WOOF
WOOF
THE DIAL IS BUSTED! DID THE VACUUM TUBE "SOCKET"?
MY GOSH! HE'S GOT IT!! HE SURE HAS - I KNOW THE SYMPTOMS
I WANT TO BUY ONE MILLION VOLTS AND A COUPL'A WATTS!
NO YOU WON'T - YOU WON'T SELL HIM A THING - HE'S GOT "RADIOTOSIS" HE'S OUT OF HIS HEAD
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SEGAR

Kabibble Kabaret—By Hershfield

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
WHY DO GIRLS' LEAVE HOME?
= K.Z.O
TO GET ONE!!
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Test of Love

She: "Of course I love you. Haven't I danced four dances with you?"

He: "What proof is that?"

"You would know if you could see yourself dance."

"Am I late for the Marseilles express?"

"No, you are early."

"How long have I to wait? It is seven o'clock."

"Until tomorrow evening at 6:55."—Pele Mele, Paris.

Where 'Twould Count

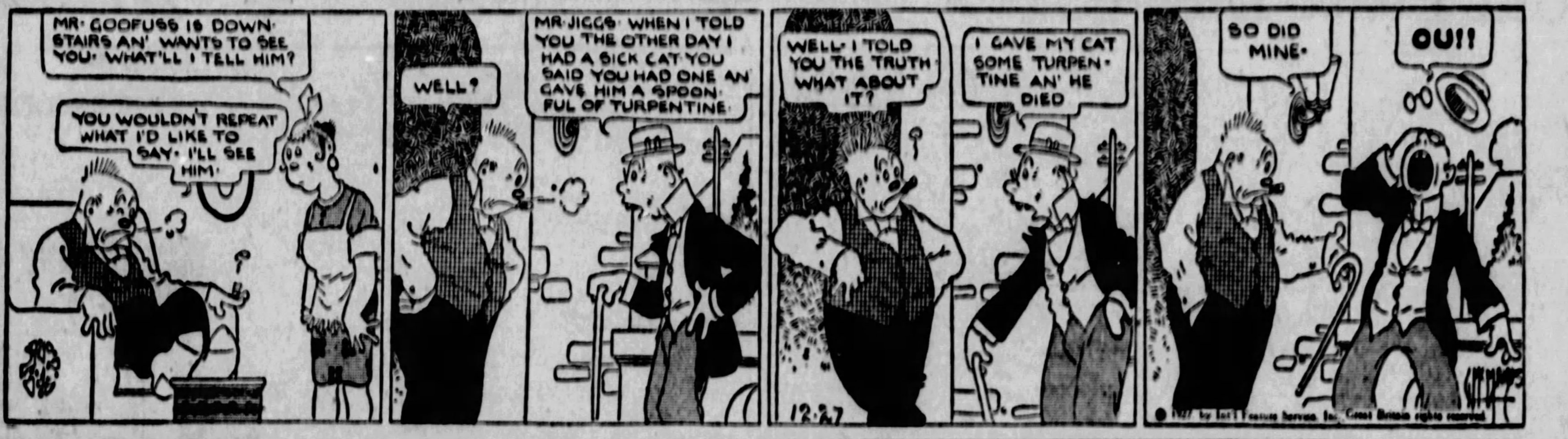
Father: "Have you told our daughter that she will not get a penny from us if she marries this fellow?"

Mother: "I did better than that—I told the young man."—Lustige Koiner Zeitung, Cologne.

Brand: "Is your wife talkative?"

Bond: "If I were suddenly stricken deaf and dumb, it would probably be six or eight weeks before she found it out."

BRINGING UP FATHER
Why Not?


MR. GOOFUSS IS DOWN-STAIRS AN' WANTS TO SEE YOU. WHAT'LL I TELL HIM?
YOU WOULDN'T REPEAT WHAT I'D LIKE TO SAY. I'LL SEE HIM.
WELL?
MR. JIGGS: WHEN I TOLD YOU THE OTHER DAY I HAD A SICK CAT YOU SAID YOU HAD ONE AN' GAVE HIM A SPOONFUL OF TURPENTINE.
WELL: I TOLD YOU THE TRUTH WHAT ABOUT IT?
I GAVE MY CAT SOME TURPENTINE AN' HE DIED
SO DID MINE.
OU!!
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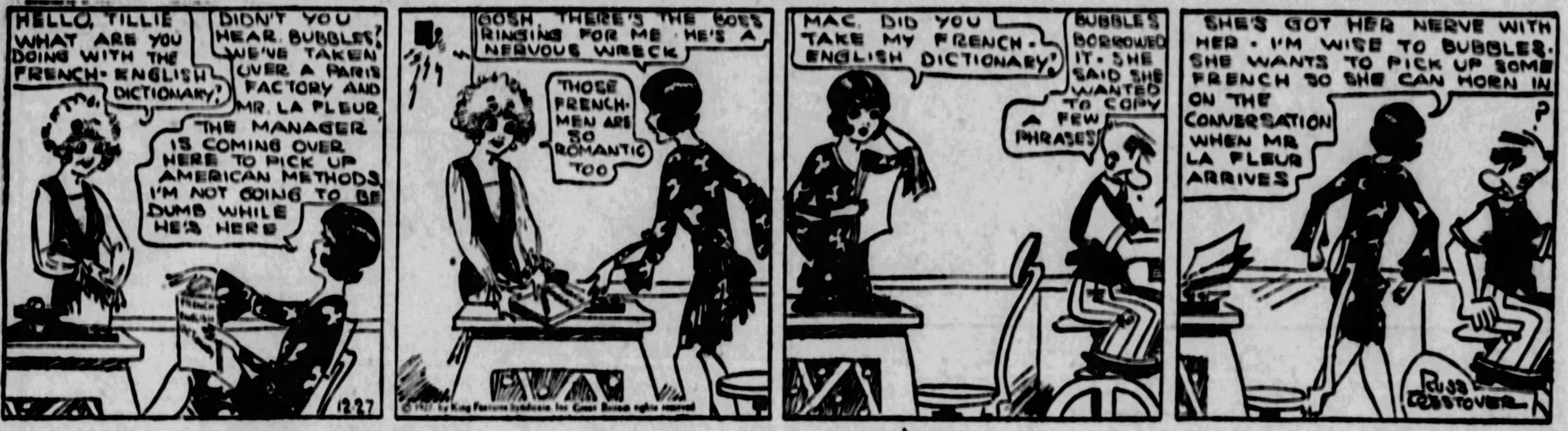
TILLIE THE TOILER
Bubbles Horns In


HELLO, TILLIE WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH THE FRENCH-ENGLISH DICTIONARY?
DIDN'T YOU HEAR, BUBBLES? WE'VE TAKEN OVER A PARIS FACTORY AND MR. LA FLEUR, THE MANAGER IS COMING OVER HERE TO PICK UP AMERICAN METHODS. I'M NOT GOING TO BE DUMB WHILE HE'S HERE
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GOSH THERE'S THE BOSS RINGING FOR ME HE'S A NERVOUS WRECK
THOSE FRENCHMEN ARE SO ROMANTIC TOO
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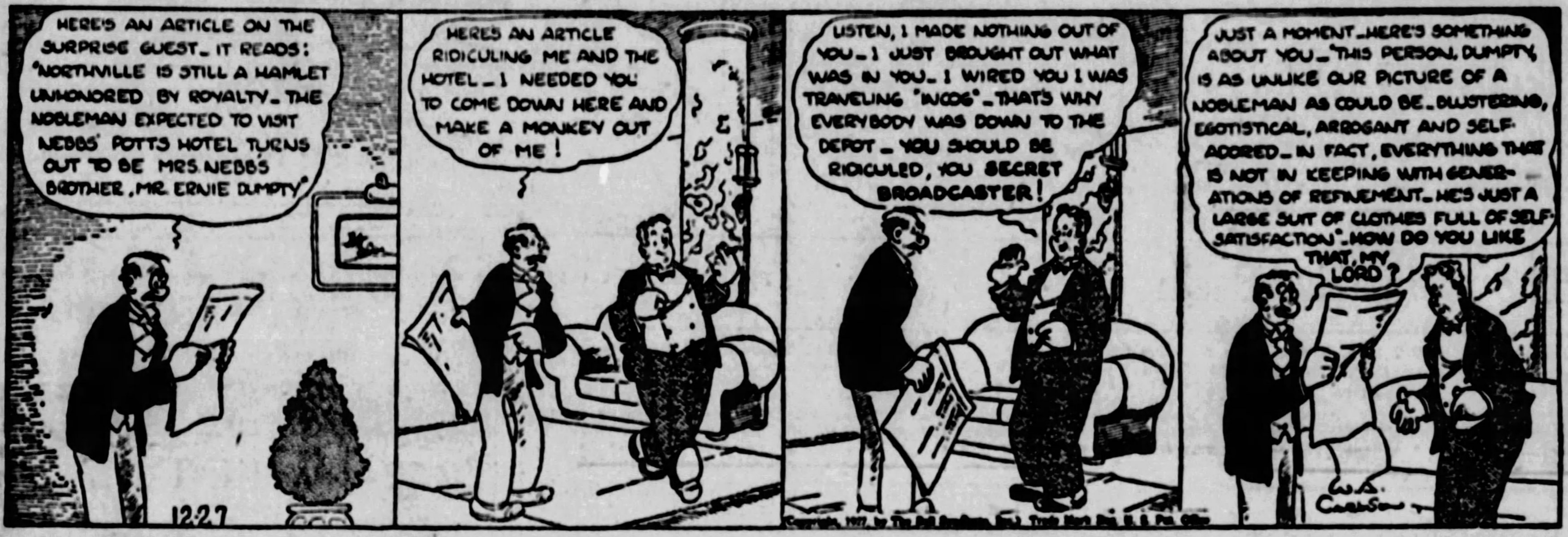
MAC, DID YOU TAKE MY FRENCH-ENGLISH DICTIONARY?
BUBBLES BORROWED IT. SHE SAID SHE WANTED TO COPY A FEW PHRASES
SHE'S GOT HER NERVE WITH HER - I'M WISE TO BUBBLES. SHE WANTS TO PICK UP SOME FRENCH SO SHE CAN HORN IN ON THE CONVERSATION WHEN MR LA FLEUR ARRIVES
?
RUSS WESTOVER

THE NEBBS
Now What?


HERE'S AN ARTICLE ON THE SURPRISE GUEST_ IT READS: "NORTHVILLE IS STILL A HAMLET UNHONORED BY ROYALTY_ THE NOBLEMAN EXPECTED TO VISIT NEBBS' POTTS HOTEL TURNS OUT TO BE MRS. NEBB'S BROTHER, MR. ERNIE DUMPTY"
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HERES AN ARTICLE RIDICULING ME AND THE HOTEL_ I NEEDED YOU TO COME DOWN HERE AND MAKE A MONKEY OUT OF ME!
LISTEN, I MADE NOTHING OUT OF YOU_ I JUST BROUGHT OUT WHAT WAS IN YOU_ I WIRED YOU I WAS TRAVELING "INCOG"_ THAT'S WHY EVERYBODY WAS DOWN TO THE DEPOT_ YOU SHOULD BE RIDICULED, YOU SECRET BROADCASTER!
JUST A MOMENT_HERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT YOU_"THIS PERSON, DUMPTY, IS AS UNLIKE OUR PICTURE OF A NOBLEMAN AS COULD BE_BLUSTERING, EGOTISTICAL, ARROGANT AND SELF-ADORED_ IN FACT, EVERYTHING THAT IS NOT IN KEEPING WITH GENERATIONS OF REFINEMENT_ HE'S JUST A LARGE SUIT OF CLOTHES FULL OF SELF-SATISFACTION"_HOW DO YOU LIKE THAT, MY LORD?
W.A. CARLSON
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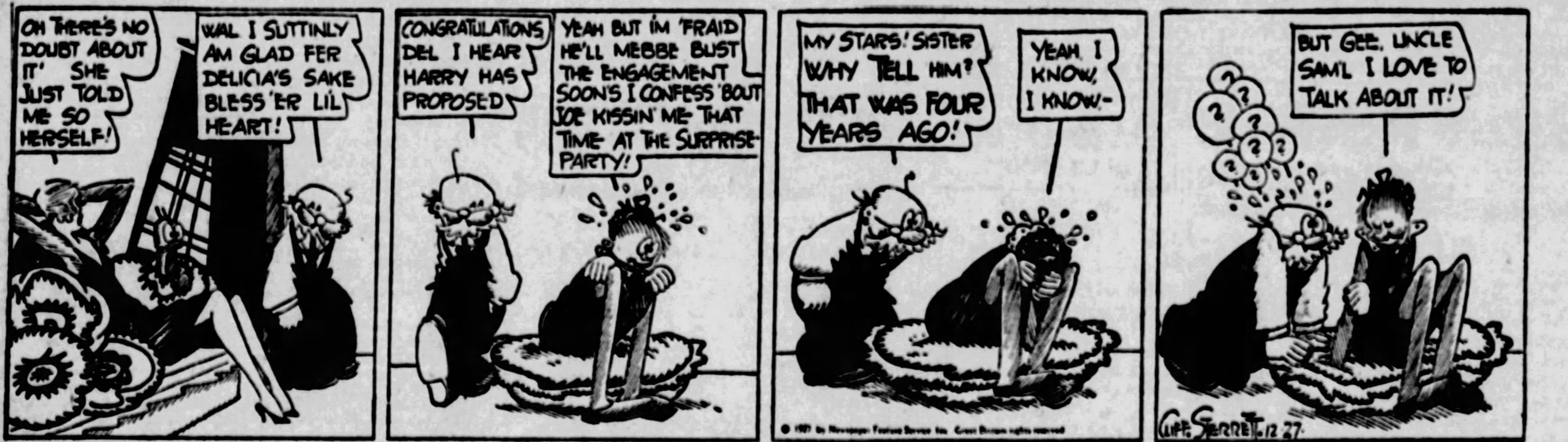
POLLY AND HER PALS
It's Still Thrilling


OH THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT' SHE JUST TOLD ME SO HERSELF!
WAL I SUTTINLY AM GLAD FER DELICIA'S SAKE BLESS 'ER LIL HEART!
CONGRATULATIONS DEL I HEAR HARRY HAS PROPOSED
YEAH BUT I'M 'FRAID HE'LL MEBBE BUST THE ENGAGEMENT SOON'S I CONFESS 'BOUT JOE KISSIN' ME THAT TIME AT THE SURPRISE PARTY!
MY STARS! SISTER WHY TELL HIM? THAT WAS FOUR YEARS AGO!
YEAH, I KNOW, I KNOW-
BUT GEE, UNCLE SAM'L I LOVE TO TALK ABOUT IT!
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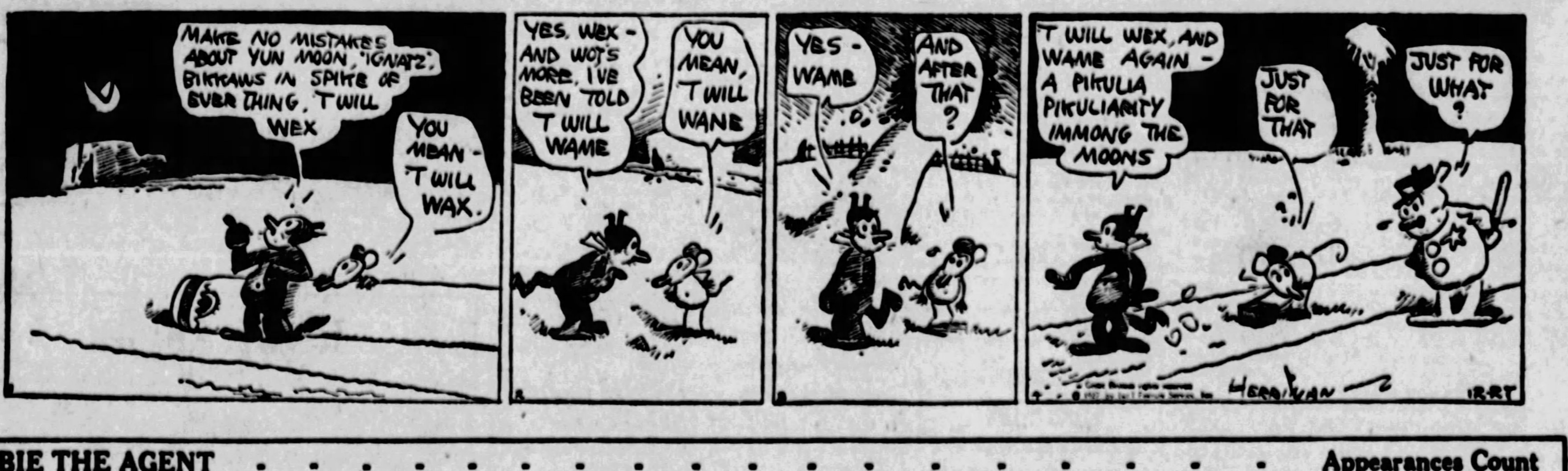
KRAZY KAT
A Prevented Eclipse


MAKE NO MISTAKES ABOUT YUN MOON, "IGNATZ". BIKKAWS IN SPITE OF EVER THING, T WILL WEX
YOU MEAN-T WILL WAX.
YES, WEX - AND WOT'S MORE, I'VE BEEN TOLD T WILL WAME
YOU MEAN, T WILL WANE
YES - WAMB
AND AFTER THAT?
T WILL WEX, AND WAME AGAIN - A PIKULIA PIKULIARITY IMMONG THE MOONS
JUST FOR THAT
JUST FOR WHAT?
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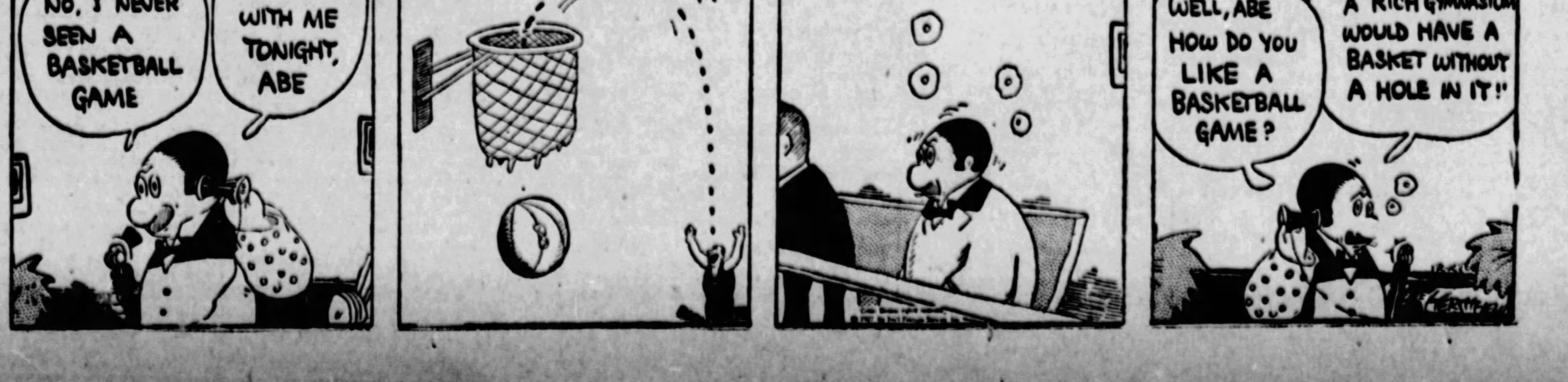
ABIE THE AGENT
Appearances Count


NO, I NEVER SEEN A BASKETBALL GAME
THEN COME WITH ME TONIGHT, ABE
WELL, ABE HOW DO YOU LIKE A BASKETBALL GAME?
YOU WOULD THINK A RICH GYMNASIUM WOULD HAVE A BASKET WITHOUT A HOLE IN IT!"
HERSHFIELD

BUGS BAER

Work's Dummy Explains Conventions of Bridge

THE conventions for bidding are easy to recognize but difficult to detect.

ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER.

If you want your partner to bid diamonds you wriggle your ring finger ever so slightly.

If she wants to declare clubs, she strikes the host over the skull with a chair leg.

When the host feels that his partner should step out in spades he makes motions like a man digging a well.

The fourth contestant may feel that hearts are the proper trump, so he grabs himself, falls off the chair and says, "My doctor told me never to get excited."

The business of no-trump is slightly more complicated. Bill Collier, who plays a fine suburban game of bridge on the Long Island railroad, says the best convention for no-trump is to say, "your bid, partner, and fear not the raging storm."

This informs your partner that he has nothing to fear in any color and that he can go right ahead as you have a burglar-proof hand that you could borrow money on from the Morris plan.

It is the little kindly deeds of life which help to make many a freezing evening seem like a balmy day in a baker's oven.

It is our aim to make everybody a good bridge player. Just study these lessons. At the end of the month we will guarantee that you will be able to argue with the best of them.

(Are you missing the ethics of bridge by Work's dummy? Do you know that a good bridge player often has an income of fifty thousand a year? And loses it playing bridge.

"You Said It, Marceline!"

by MARCELINE d'ALROY

ON "NATURE'S TRICKS"

MEN are not PRETTY, as a
Rule and most of them
PREFER NOT to be.
Yet, some men have long
EYELASHES. What a
WASTE!
And some women have THICK
Ankles. How PERVERSE
Nature is! Most girls are
PRETTY as buds, of course,
and
Some are BEAUTIFUL when
they
Blossom into the THIRTIES,
And a few are WONDERFUL
when
They reach MATURITY. But
Many SLENDER girls appear
To DEVELOP with time and
MATRIMONY into a great
BIG
Surprise. You never KNOW
what
Marriage or NATURE will do
To a WOMAN. Still, it seems
Most women have SOMETHING
They like about THEMSELVES,
And oh! how they SHOW it!
It may be a beautiful round
Arm, or a good pair of
LEGS, or the shape of their
NECK-LINE. Even a fine
NOSE is not to be DESPISED
If one has nothing ELSE
To boast of. Of course, all
Women should be BEAUTIFUL
Naturally, but some seem to
Get NIPPED in the bud.

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Why Not?

The task was an essay on the Normans, and one boy wrote:—

"King William had a New Forest maid, and he killed everyone who chased his dear."

Vanity

"The cat was making an awful noise in the night."

"Yes, ever since he ate the canary he thinks he can sing."

Luck

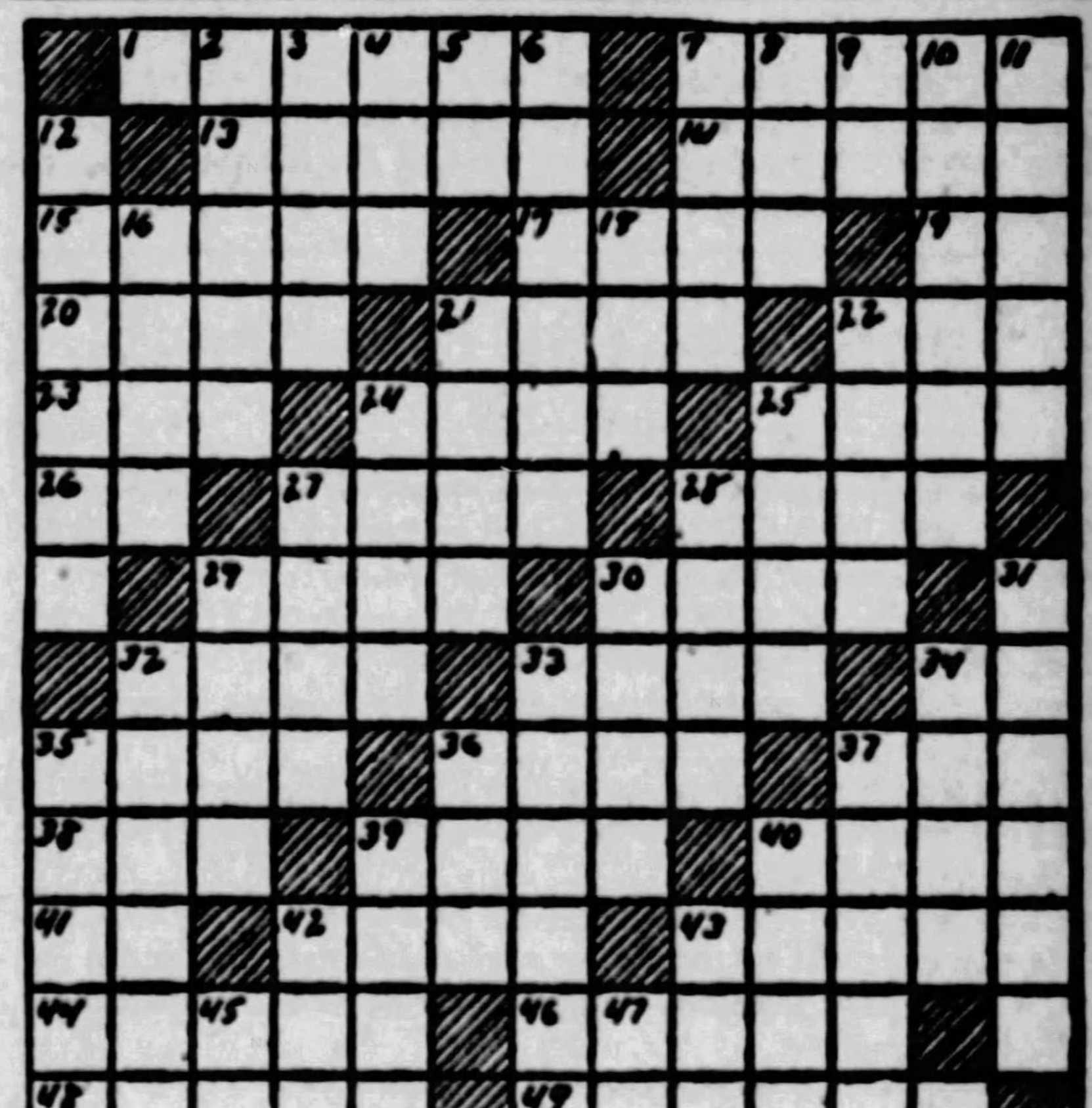
First Doctor: "Were you lucky with your first patient?"

Second Doctor: "Most lucky, he paid his bill before he died."—Le Moustique, Charleroi.

Should Be Used to It

Rejected Suitor (a photographer): "Cruel girl! For years I've had your image photographed on my heart; but all I get is a negative."

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle



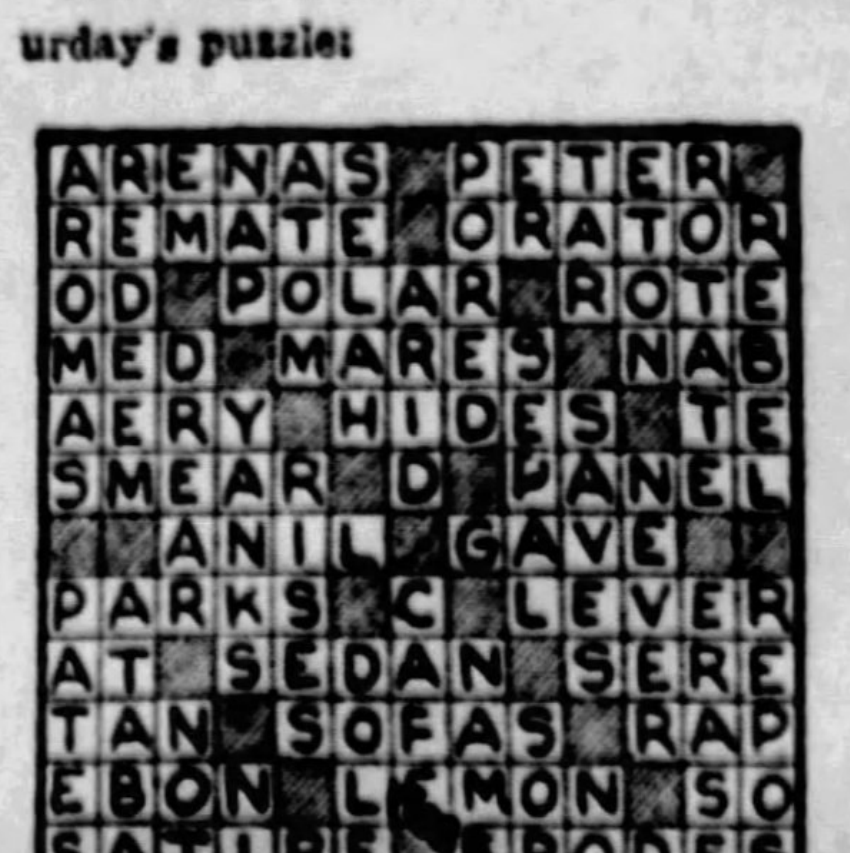
HORIZONTAL.

1—line of march
7—19th century English epicurean-philosopher
13—to humble
14—to suppress
15—lay responsibility on
17—semi-precious stone
19—prefix meaning not
20—tardy
21—river in Germany
22—Japanese sash
23—salutation to the Virgin
24—British seaport of Arabia
25—sing in a lively manner
26—symbol for tellurium
27—notices
28—man
29—title of respect (pl.)
30—utensils
32—qualifying adverb
33—love wildly
34—symbol for calcium
35—ripped
36—nothing but
37—possesses
38—intoxicating liquor
39—baby
40—market
41—Greek letter
42—frog
43—judgment
44—Mohammedan prince
46—allowances for weight of containers
48—dispatches
49—calls forth

VERTICAL.

2—winged
3—capital of Italy
4—reverential fear
5—prefix meaning "down"
6—wears away
7—fruit
8—everything
9—note of the scale
10—eatable
11—send back
12—novice in a monastery
16—wash
18—writing implement
21—verse forms
22—oleaginous liquids
24—ethereal
25—narrow path
27—father
28—partner
29—scorch the skin
30—breathing hole in the skin
31—hurry
32—book
33—argue
34—vehicles
35—domesticates
36—male
37—medieval commercial league
39—prohibit
40—humble
42—a color
43—standing room only (abbr.)
45—printer's measure
47—avenue (abbr.)

Herewith is the solution to Saturday's puzzle:


ARENAS PETER
REMATE ORATOR
OD POLAR ROTE
MED MARES NAB
AERY HIDES TE
SMEAR D PANEL
ANIL GAVE
PARKS C LEVER
AT SEDAN SERE
TAN SOFAS RAP
EBON LEMON SO
SATIRE ERODES
LETTS DERIDE

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WHY PITTSBURGH IS GREAT
Cheap Transportation by Water Is an Important Asset

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Very, Very Old?

Or Young? Hard to Guess,

HOW OLD IS HE?

Looking at this elephant head, how old would you guess the animal to be? The eye looks aged, tired and full of wisdom. The wrinkles are deep. The age is hard to guess.

If the art department had not carefully blotted out the figure of a man beside the elephant, and much taller than the elephant, you would see at once that this is a young, very small baby elephant, with no experience of the world.

And yet, the appearance of age in its face, like the appearance of great wisdom in a human baby with a high forehead, is REAL.

The baby elephant looks old because it inherits its parents' millions of years of experience on the earth. Elephants are, excepting the higher apes, the most intelligent animals. They think, are cautious, the brain that they have is small in proportion to a man's brain, weight for weight, but is big compared with the brains of any other animals.

That brain has been working for them through many thousands of centuries.

The baby elephant inherits the appearance of wisdom and of age because the parents have been THINKING animals.

This may interest human mothers, who see in their babies' bumpy, high foreheads an amount of wisdom and thought that seem marvelous in a child.

The dormant wisdom is there, born of past ages of thinking. You see it in the baby face.

Look at the face or the forehead of a savage baby and you do not see the appearance of age and philosophical solemnity that you see in a civilized baby's face.

In the same way, in the head of a baby chick or mouse you see none of the aged wisdom of the baby elephant.

We must learn for ourselves a great deal. Fortunately our ancestors learned a great deal FOR US.

Any child can be taught reading and writing, almost in babyhood. In early childhood, algebra, Latin.

All the patient kindness in the world would not teach the most intelligent animal the things that the dullest child learns with comparative ease.

That is because our children have back of them at least 500,000, and probably 1,000,000 years of thinking, talking, brain development.

Man, the weakest animal, without big teeth, powerful claws, or great speed, lived always in danger of his life. And had to THINK from the first.

What tusks and great weight were to the elephant, teeth to the lion, or the rhinoceros' horn to him, man's THINKING MACHINERY was to man.

Our babies look old and wise because they inherit age and wisdom.

This little elephant similarly looks old and very wise for an animal, because he descends from what may be called the nearest approach to a thinking animal. The brain of an elephant is above that of every other animal except that of the highest apes, the chimpanzee, gorilla and orang-outang.

Fence In the "Fences"

And for Life.

Our well-organized crime is attributed to bootlegging and numerous "fences," receivers of stolen goods.

Bootlegging stimulates violence. If one law is despised, why not another? Fences, that not only receive stolen goods but plan crimes, select and finance criminals for their tasks, make crime profitable.

The National Crime Commission says: "Without 'fences' to finance criminals in idle periods and market stolen goods the criminal could not last long."

The law, now ineffective, should be changed. A receiver of stolen goods should be treated as a wholesale criminal, more dangerous and guilty than any of his miserable tools, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Russia in the Air

This Government ought not to ignore the fact that Russia is building airships rapidly, organizing a group of 4,000,000 Russians interested in flying, and teaching flying in public schools.

It all might interest this nation some day. It should not be forgotten that the French revolution won victories far away in the heat of revolutionary enthusiasm.

Russia again might produce a man like Peter the Great, and instead of sending fighters on foot to Poland or Turkey, he might send them through the air to America. We have things worth getting that are not protected. There is no protection, except air protection.

The Hearst Papers Advocate:

1. An agreement of English-speaking peoples to preserve peace among themselves and to promote the peace of the world.

2. Proportional representation in the United States Senate, no state to have less than two Senators. Legislation to enforce prompt constitutional reapportionment in the House of Representatives.

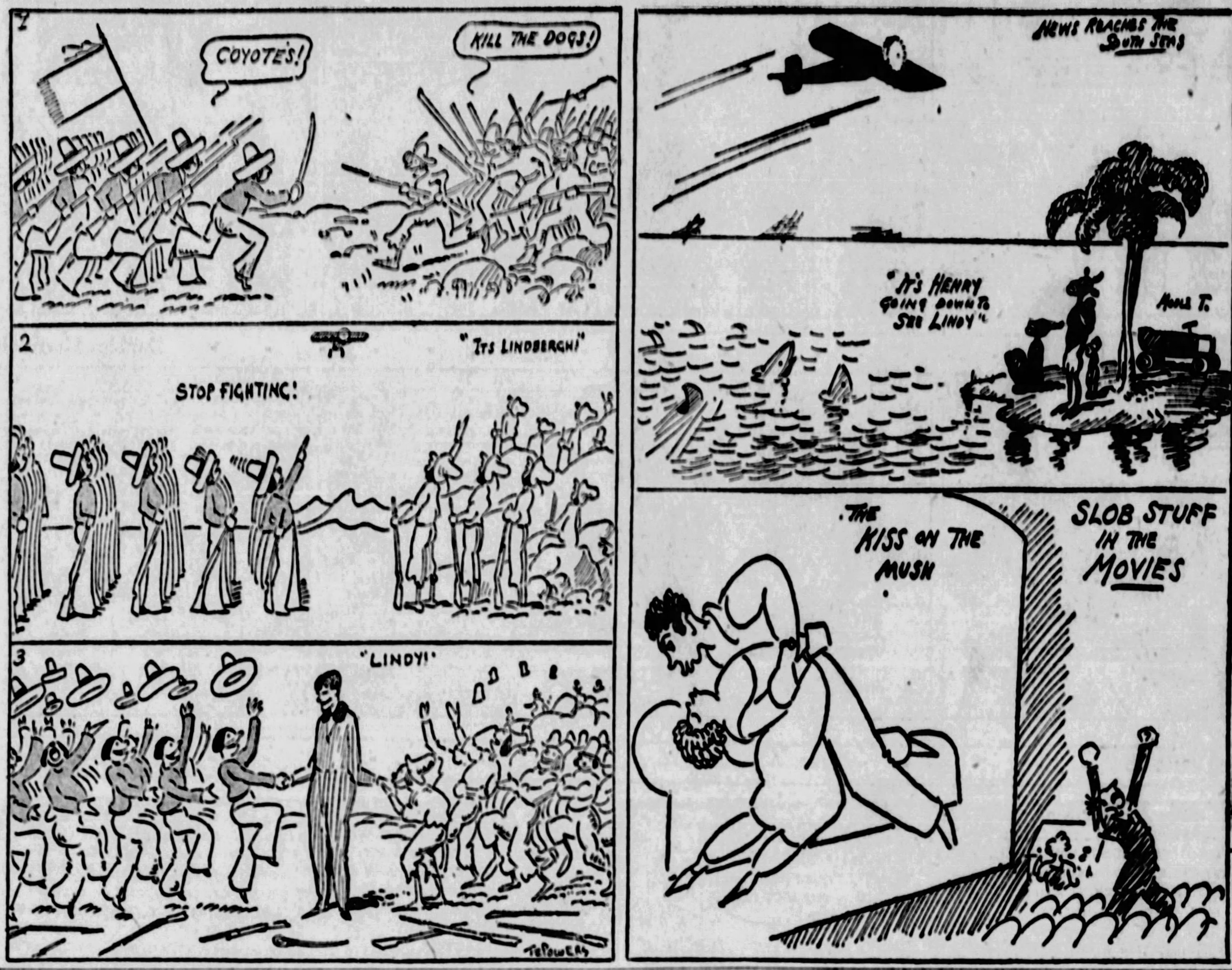
3. A separate Department of the Army, of the Navy and of the Air Forces, all united under a Secretary of National Defense.

4. Federal action to the limit of Federal powers to abolish illiteracy in the United States under a Secretary of Education.

5 Election of Congress in November. Installation on the 1st of January following. Inauguration of the President 1st of January next after November election.

Our Peace Envoy

By T. E. Powers


1
COYOTE'S!
KILL THE DOGS!
2
"ITS LINDBERGH!"
STOP FIGHTING!
3
"LINDY!"
TEPOWERS
NEWS REACHES THE SOUTH SEAS
"IT'S HENRY GOING DOWN TO SEE LINDY"
MODEL T.
THE KISS ON THE MUSH
SLOB STUFF IN THE MOVIES

The Columbia Basin

By DR. FRANK CRANE

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, in an address the other day, alluded to the effort of the government to create new territory.

This is the true method of conquest. A lot better than going to war and subjecting another state it is to turn water on to a desert and make a new state.

Mr. Coolidge said, "A waterway system for the Mississippi valley and its tributaries with one arm reaching to the Gulf and another to the Atlantic is only a question of time. The Colorado River is pressing, the Columbia Basin is not far distant."

To many of my readers this phrase, the Columbia Basin, is a sort of also ran. I confess until recently it was to me.

But I am writing this in Spokane, Wash., just a few miles from this basin, and right here it is a subject of supreme interest. As far as that is concerned, it is of considerable interest to the whole country and not merely a local affair.

The Panama Canal fired the imagination of the world. Huge reclamation projects at various times have interested us and applied for aid to the general government.

But this Columbia Basin project will be about the biggest thing we have ever undertaken and are ever liable to undertake.

It means a bringing into cultivation or a transforming from desert to thrifty farm lands about two million acres.

This can be done by merely utilizing dead waters which now run waste. Fortunately these waters are at a higher level than the irrigated land, so all that is necessary is the motive power of gravitation.

It would mean, however, building some dams, making tunnels and constructing huge concrete lined canals, and the project is so immense that nobody could take it up but the general government.

We hear a lot about the Colorado River and the Boulder Dam, but really this thing is bigger.

This country once was settled during what they call a wet cycle and 25,000 farmers lived in it.

But then came the drought and they all had to leave, for they couldn't raise crops on 7-inch rainfalls during the year. Now the land is sand and sagebrush.

The soil is wonderfully fertile, as it is probably the bottom of an old lake, and all it needs is water. With water they can raise two crops of potatoes a year and the finest potatoes in the world. They would have a climate even superior to Yakima for the raising of apples, and corn, wheat and other midwest products could be grown in abundance.

The men who are pushing this thing are public-spirited citizens, for they will probably all be dead before the scheme could be brought into completion, as it will take probably 15 years.

The project has the full indorsement of President Coolidge, Secretary Work, Secretary Hoover and Gen. Goethals.

Redeeming worthless land and making it productive is about the best business a government can engage in.

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Garrett P Serviss Says:

An Electric Sense

WILL man sometime develop a new sense? It seems not unlikely, considering the highly organized nervous system that he possesses, in connection with his superior brain and his rapid conquest of nature's secrets. Indeed, there are people who flatter themselves that they already possess more than the normal number of senses. The imagination can hardly conceive the revolution in the aspect of the world and the character of human life that would be produced if we should awake some morning in possession of two or three new senses, enabling us to see and enjoy as many new, and perhaps previously unsuspected sides of nature.

The most promising life of development seems to lie in the direction of a finer appreciation of electric influences. This recalls some remarkable experiences recently made upon the "space sense" of carrier pigeons. The way of the bird in the air and the secret of the lost dog or cat that finds its way home, or of the homing bee, speeding like a bullet to its hive, have been standing mysteries from time immemorial. If I remember aright, a poser of that kind was put to Job.

Well, European pigeon fanciers think they may have hit upon an explanation of the mystery involving the influence both of radio waves and of sunspots affecting the earth's magnetism.

The story of one among a considerable number of the recent experiences is as follows: Eight kilometers from Valencia, Spain, in the field of manoeuvres of the Spanish Army at Paterna, where the army radiotelegraphic stations are placed, on a fine, clear day, while an antenna was in action with a wavelength of 900 meters, a carrier pigeon that had been released to fly to Valencia showed signs of confusion, being unable to orient itself toward its home, although the latter was within range of sight. One after another other pigeons were then released, and they all showed the same evidences of confusion. When the wavelength of the radio station was increased to 1,200 meters the disoriented pigeons presented a curious spectacle, flying about in spiral tracks. The radio was then turned off, whereupon another pigeon being released immediately oriented itself, correctly, while the pigeons which had been flying about in disorder during nearly three-quarters of an hour, at once set off in a straight line for their destination.

Other experiments have indicated that pigeons on long flights follow the magnetic lines of the earth, and that they are often puzzled and thrown off their proper track in passing over regions where the magnetic lines are deformed into long loops. Experiments in Germany have shown that pigeons when en route lose their sense of direction if they penetrate a zone under the influence of Hertzian waves, but recover, and resume the proper direction as soon as they leave the affected area.

Magnetic storms caused by the influence of sunspots, when the lights of the aurora borealis flickering in the sky give visible evidence of the disturbance of the earth's magnetic elements, have been observed to drive swallows out of the air; at least the coincidence was so striking as strongly to suggest that conclusion.

All these things are suggestive, and the effects described seem possible, but it is not necessary to jump to the conclusion that the radio machines are affecting the weather or disturbing the nerves of mankind—unless it may be through bad music.

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Once Overs

By J. J. MUNDY

Concentrate

DO you go to extremes in the things that interest you?

Because your manner of taking up things is so energetic, the newness soons wears off and you tire easily of each new interest.

Too enthusiastic at first, you find your love for it waning.

Have you allowed this characteristic of yours to govern you to the extent that you are constantly jumping from one thing to another?

You don't concentrate on any special study and consequently you do not get the best there is out of anything.

You feel restless most of the time—you can't settle down.

You flit about looking for things to meet your craving for the new.

Not alone your pleasures, but probably your views in regard to your job are affected by your unrest.

You are tired of this or that about it.

You do not try to go deeper, but merely skim the surface of things.

That is why you are not long interested.

You do not give study to those really interesting matters of work or of pleasure which take your fancy so often.

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The Rhyming Optimist

By ALINE MICHAELIS

The Poet's Themes

THE poet's themes are but too few
In song that blithely soars;
The rose, the moon, the sea, the dew
And—eyes like yours!

Through all the changing centuries
These thoughts recurrent came
With lift of sky, with voice of trees
To stir the lyric flame.

The poet's themes are old as time,
When he his soul outpours
To seas that sweep, to stars that climb,
To—hands like yours!

The poet's themes are ever few:
White sails and shining shores,
Unclouded skies of tranquil blue
And—lips like yours!

Ye Towne Gossip

by K. C. B.

WHEN I WAS a youth.
* * *
SOMEBODY COAXED ME.
* * *
ON A saddle horse.
* * *
AND IT threw me off.
* * *
AND TO THE ground.
* * *
SO THAT the wind.
* * *
WAS KNOCKED out of me.
* * *
AND EVER since then.
* * *
I HAVE never had.
* * *
ANY MENTAL comfort.
* * *
OR PHYSICAL comfort.
* * *
ON THE back of a horse.
* * *
TILL THE other day.
* * *
WHEN I visited.
* * *
A WRITING friend.
* * *
IN HIS rural home.
* * *
AND HE suggested.
* * *
THAT WHILE he worked.
* * *
FOR AN hour or two.
* * *
I SHOULD take a ride.
* * *
ON THE family horse.
* * *
AND BEING assured.
* * *
IT WAS quite tame.
* * *
I GAVE consent.
* * *
AND THEY saddled the horse.
* * *
AND MY friend went in.
* * *
TO DO his work.
* * *
AND THE horse and I.
* * *
WENT AROUND the house.
* * *
TOWARD THE gate.
* * *
AND THERE was some grass.
* * *
AND THE horse he stopped.
* * *
AND BEGAN to browse.
* * *
AND AFTER he browsed.
* * *
FOR QUITE some minutes.
I PULLED the reins.
* * *
AND CLUCKED at him.
* * *
AND HE moved over.
* * *
TO ANOTHER patch.
* * *
AND I pulled one rein.
* * *
IN AN effort to steer him.
* * *
BACK ONTO the drive.
* * *
AND ALL he did.
* * *
WAS SHAKE his head.
* * *
AND I was afraid.
* * *
HE WAS getting mad.
* * *
AND I reached away down.
* * *
AND PATTED his neck.
* * *
TO LET HIM know.
* * *
IN SPITE OF his browsing.
* * *
I WAS his friend.
* * *
AND ANYWAY.
* * *
FOR NEARLY an hour.
* * *
WE WANDERED AROUND.
* * *
RIGHT THERE by the house.
* * *
AND THEN I managed.
* * *
TO GET him back.
* * *
TO THE SIDE OF the house.
* * *
WHERE WE'D started from.
* * *
AND I got off.
* * *
AND THREW UP some dust.
* * *
ON ME and the horse.
* * *
AND CALLED TO my friend.
* * *
AND HE came out.
* * *
AND SAID to me.
* * *
"HOW FAR did you go?"
* * *
AND I answered him,
* * *
"WE'VE BEEN gone an hour."
* * *
I THANK you.

New York Day by Day

by O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The fifty-fifty marriage idea will not be downed in New York. It exists chiefly among those classified as "creative artists," Hendrik Van Loon and Frances Goodrich are the latest to adopt the separate apartment scheme to see how it works.

Fannie Hurst and her husband, originators of the marital plan, have found it a success. "The dew is still on the rose"—the nuptial knot has not unraveled. Miss Hurst attends her parties and her husband his and once or twice a week they dine together.

To old-fashioned uncreative souls who look upon marriage as a close companionship and mutual sharing of joys, the whole thing is pretty bewildering. There are other couples who do not carry out the idea to maintaining separate apartments.

Yet they have an understanding each shall mingle with his or her friends and do generally as they please. And it is noted that such couples frequently figure in divorce courts. Marriage, it seems, has not yet reached such a state of passive neutrality.

There are innumerable wives who for professional reasons continue to use maiden names. It is a general custom on the stage, but lately has been adopted by writers and artists, but their home life is as close knit as others in more humble spheres.

Mrs. John Baragwanath is Neysa McMein, the illustrator. Mrs. Harold Ross, wife of the editor of the New Yorker, is Jane Grant, a writer on the Times. Mrs. Heywood Broun is Ruth Hale. Mrs. Peter Arno is Lois Long or "Lipstick." Mrs. Charles Gatchell is Fannie Kilbourne. Mrs. Carl Van Vechten is Fania Marianoff. Mrs. Aubrey Eads is Peggy Hoyt. And so on.

Experimental marriages are, of course, inspired by a fear they will not click. And more of them have failed after the testing period than have succeeded.

The other afternoon I was in the office of a lady who gives advice to the love-lorn writing to her department of a newspaper. Only two letters in the great pile were from New York. "I rarely receive letters from New Yorkers," she said. And explained: "They obey the popular formula, 'Love 'em and leave 'em.'"

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There is that story of a rakish young bachelor who tossed two girls out the first floor window of his apartment one hilarious evening and whose arrest was appropriately headlined in a tabloid: "Loves 'em and heaves 'em!"

The perennial effort to produce a smashing newspaper play was again tried this season. It was terrifically clouted by critics. The truth is what seems the most glamorous thing in the world to a newspaperman, i. e., the newspaper shop, is as dull as ditch water to the average layman. Few wives of newspapermen care to visit the editorial rooms more than once.

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Broadway business is not all coldly commercial. Personalities count. A cafe recently discharged a hat check girl. Business began to slump. A new chef was employed—also a new manager and new waiters. Finally the discharged hat checker was put back on the job and business began to pick up until it reached normal again.

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The most popular night club of the season is one employing no entertainers—save an excellent dance orchestra. It is always filled. The explanation is that celebrities go there—and any night club will prosper with what Broadway calls a "wham" patronage.

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Right Angles

By ALEXANDER CAIRNS

Maybe

THIS bit of gossip comes straight from one of the stars in the drama.

For weeks he had begged for the help of a rare man in a great task of human service.

And in telling me he appended this finale:

"He had said 'No' several times, but that means nothing. The woman I am married to said 'No' for five years. She never did say 'Yes,' but finally she said 'Maybe' and then I went and bought the ring."

You only need the best guess out of one to hit upon the truth that this young man has lifted his institution to unprecedented altitudes of influence and effectuality in the brevity of a quadrennium.

Every such man is born with a baton in his knapsack.

Leadership gravitates to such as avalanches to a valley.

And his genius is doubly evidenced by the fact that his work is a benevolence and his recruits are all volunteer soldiers of the common good who serve for love not lucre.

He demonstrates well his favorite aphorism that "The only difference between the possible and the impossible is that the impossible takes a little longer."

Just chat a while tonight with your friend Cyclopedia and he'll spin you a fascinating yarn about Bernard Palissy, the Phidias of exquisite pottery.

The fates told him "No" for nearly a lifetime, but he was deaf, dumb and blind to anything but positives, and the world of ceramics is his debtor.

The bulldoggery that persistently refuses to accept a "No" ultimately gets a "Yes."

And so when she says "Maybe" sprint for the ring.

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